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LIMA, OHIO, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4 1908

PRICE THURE OFNTS

TWENTY WERE DEAD

From Suffocation in a Bad Fire Which Broke Out in a Chicago Hotel.

Many Jump for Their Lives

Only to be Picked Up On the Pavement Below in a Lifeless Condition or Perhaps Crippled for Life. Most of the Dead are Still to be Identified.

FLOOR OF THE LINCOL. HOTFL, STRANGERS TO THE CITY SHOW, SCORES OF GUESTS: THE BODY OF H K WOOD, GF

FOURTEEN BODIES NOW AWAIT ROLADY IDENTIFIED IS WITH AT THE MORGUE TO BE IDENTI- COREY, A MAIL CLERK GF BU-NONE WERE BURNED BUT CYRUS O

CHICAGO, DEC. 4.-TWENTY-ONE FALL DIED IN BED. SUFFOCATED PERSONS WERE SMOTHERED TO BY SMOKE. THE HOTEL WAS A DEATH IN THEIR BEDS IN A FIRE RESORT OF THE STOCKMEN AND FARMERS AND ALL CAUGHT FROM ESCAPING GAS IN ONE OF THE GUEST'S ROOMS ON aided by the Presbyterians and Metho-THE SECOND FLOOR ONE WO-MAN MRS SHEPHERD, JUMPED and hopes are expressed that as a re-ING WITH A CHILD IN HER ARMS THE ORIGIN OF THE FIRE IS A THOUGH HURT, SHE WILL LIVE THERE WERE 125 MANY OTHERS ESCAPED BY MOST JUMPING THROUGH WINDOWS ARE SAID TO HAVE THE MONEY LOSS DOES NOT EX

AMONG THE FIVE DEAD AL-

WHILE OUT SHOOTING ENGINEER

The United States Minister at Tokio was Stricken

And Before Assistance Could Reach Him He was Dead. He Had Been in the Federal Service for Over Five Years.

Washington, Dec 4.-Japanese Min serer Takabira calied at the state de partment this afternoon and informed Secretary Hay that he had received a Affred E Buck, United States minister at Tokio The dispatch stated that the minister had suddenly fallen dead while out shooting ducks from a boat. Mr Buck was appointed minister to Japan, April 13th, 1897. He was a native of Maine, but was residing in Georgia at the time of his appoint-

ADJOURNMENT

Was Taken Today Until Next Monday Merning.

Washington, Dec 4 -- Immediately dispatch announcing the death of upon assembling today the senate agreed that when adjournment was taken today, it be until Monday Mr Beveridge, chairman of the senate committee on territories, sent to the desk and had read, a lengthy telegram from the Non Partisan single state hosi convention held in Oklahoma City yesterday, embodying a resolution adopted by the convention, favoring the creation of a state from Oklahoma and Indian Territories and opposing the passage of an omnibus

MOTHERS CONGRESS.

Columbus, O. Dec. 4 -- Drawn towither by their common desire to develop better parenthood, childhood and home life, representative men and women have gathered in Columbus from many parts of the state to take part in the proceedings of the first Ohio Congress of Mothers. The congress began its sessions today and will continue through tomorrow. Proisinent among the participants are Dr. Starr Cadwalader, of Cleveland, Dr. Washington Gladden, of Columbus, and President Thompson, of Ohio State University.

Grain Market. Chicago, Dec. 4.—Closing December wheat 73 1-8; corn 54%; cats \$0%;

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PLUMS AWARDED.

statehood bill

Washington, Dec. 4 -- Prozident Roosevelt sent the following nomina tions to the senate today

To be consul-general of the United States at Canton, China, Robert Mc Wade, of Pennsylvania (now consul.) To be interestate commerce com missioner, Martin A Knapp, of New Fork (reappointment)

To be secretary of legation of United States at Monrovia, Liberia, George W Ellis, of Kansas.

Live Stock Market.

East Liberty, Dec; 4.-Cattle light

SEEK CONTROL

Of the Halibut Industry of This Country.

Halibut company of Gloucestor, which s interested in the halibut fisheries of the Pacific, has decided to increase its Western business, with an idea of controlling the trade in Western fish in the Eastern markets. The international Fish company has just been organized for this purpose. The plans provide for the building of many additional steamers to fish for halibut in the Pacific.

AGAINST SALOONS.

Toronto, Ont , Dec 4 -Upon the referendum vote that is being taken today in Ontario, will depend the fate of the prohibition law in the province. The various temperance organizations. dists, have waged an active campaign sult of the balloting, every bar room in Ontario will be forced to close its

WANT GOLD STANDARD.

Washington, Dec. 4 -A determined fort will be made at this session of congress to provide a gold standard for the Philippine Islands, substantial-Philippine bill as it passed the house at the last session on account of the brought serious loss to the Philippine government as well as to American contractors doing business with the

KILLED.

morning, a Pan Handie work train and T. W. V. & O. engine and caboose ran together one mile east of Coshocled and seven trainmen hurt. Conductor Armstrong, of Columbus, was badly cut. The cause of the accident is not yet placed

Patriot Honored.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 4 .-- The Kosiusko Monument association announced today the close of the competition for design sfor the handsome monument which it is proposed to erect to the illustrious Polish patriot. It is intended to expend \$13,000 upon the

TOM REED IS BETTER.

Washington, Dec. 4 - Ex-Speaxer teed passed a good night and doctors ope, owing to the age and weight of fr. Reed, that an operation will not

ARM BROKEN

3on of J J. White Sustains a Severe Injury.

The 12 year old son of Mr. and ins. J. J. White, of 762 cast Market treet, had one of his arms fractured esterday by falling from a bicycle.

PURCELL

Is Now at His Home and is Steadily Improving.

Tom Purce!! the south side youth the police station to the home of hiz

Hy.

FOUR

Powerful Railroad **Orders**

Take Action

Toward an Increase in Employes Wages.

Chicago the Scene of the Skirmishing Before Real Battle Begins.

Demands Will Effect 170,000 Men Who Waut an Increase of from 10 to 20 Per Cent.

Chicago, Dec 4-With the purpose of forming requests for increases from 10 to 20 per cent in the pay of 170,900 railroad employes, committees from four powerful labor organizations are now meeting in Chicago. They are holding daily sessions in four Chicago hotels and may be expected to present their demands to the railroad officials early next week. The four organizations represented by the committees Brotherhead of Locomotive En gineers, membership 41,000; brother-

ship 47 000. 3 otherhood of Railroad Trainmen, membership 60,000, Order of Railway Conductors, membership mony and may be counted upon to

hood of Locomotive Piremen, member-

stand together in the possibility of It is announced by members of the committees representing the organizafrom every railroad system in the mid die northwest. Eastern railreads en tering the city will be similarly dealt

The railroads are to be given one ionth to meet the demand made by tre organizations If by that time the roads shall fail to show a disposition to treat with the individual organi zations and committees of their own

men, concerted action will be taken The four organizations will send de which will meet in St. Louis January

5 Then the committees, which are will report upon the treatment that their requests have met with by the general managers of the railroads.

It is the general opinion that drastic action will be unnecessary. The rail road managers are showing a disposition to treat with committees of their own employes and the chances are that amicable adjustments of the wage question will be effected before the time comes to hold the St. Louis meet-

While the committees have not yet decided upon the wage scale, it is known that increases demanded will ange from 10 to 20 per cent. In some instances the increases have already been formulated.

ELEVEN YEARS AGO.

New York, Dec 4-Russell Sage, the "dean of Wall street," today rereived the congraturations of his friends and business associates on the eleventh anniversary of his escape from death on Dec 4, 1891, at the hands of a lunatic, who exploded dunamite in the ageu financiers office. On that day Henry Norcross, of Boston approached Mr Sage and demanded several hundred thousand dollars threatening unless it was immediately paid to drop on the floor a valise he carried and which he said was filled with dynamite Mr. Sage did not pro duce the money promptly enough, and his visitor let the satchel fail. A territic explosion occurred. Mr. Sage was practically unharmed, the mad visitor was blown into pieces, a cierk who was stabbed in a par-room fight named Laidlow, was badly injured, and night before last, was removed from the office was wrecked. Afterward, Laidlow sued Mr. Sage, claiming that father yesterday and he is reported the financier used bim as a shield. The to be resting well and improving stoud- case has been fought through many

CURSED BY DISEASE. CISSY LOFTUS

Sailed for America Today and Will Join Sothern.

London, Dec. 4.—Miss Cecilia Lofus sails for New York today to rejoin E. H. Sothern's company, in which she is to play Ophelia to Mr. Sothern's "Hamlet" and "Juliet" to his Romeo. America last spring.

TABBY IS SHOWN OFF.

Cieveland, O., Dec. 4 -The mewing sien was the opening of the big poultry and cat show for which preparations have been going forward for several the largest and most notable affair of its kind ever held in this city. The embrace all varieties of domestic fowls, together with a choice assortment of high-class felines. The judging of exhibits commenced this morn ing, and will continue until the show closes the last of the week

LET OUT OF JAIL.

Washington, Dec. 4 --- Major Estes Rathbone, former director of posts in Cuba, has arrived here to push his claims for vindication Rathbone was ried by Cuban court, convicted and sentenced Under president Palmas amnesty proclamation, he was released

TWO MEN KILLED.

Hazelton, Pa . Dec . -- While a car containing six men was being lowered into the Cranberry mine last night the engineer lost control of the car. which struck the bottom with a terri fic crash. Two men, Elmer Kirschner. a carpenter boss and Gustava Strack, a carpenter were instantly killed Several others were severely injured The men were sent into the mine to replace pumps removed during the re-

PHYSICIAN

Called in to the Relief of Gardner.

Harrod Blacksmith Grew Worse and Guards Will be Placed Over Him.

Dr T M Weadock, the jail physician, was called in by sheriff Barr this afternoon to give some attention to Harry Gardner, who is referred to in the court columns as having developed a bad case of delirium tremens. Gardner became more violent as the day crew older and it was found necessary to lock him in a cell for fear of his assaulting the other two prisoners in one of his fits of madness

When seen by a Times reporter, Gardner was crouched in a corner of his cell, on the cot fighting imaginary robbers, and calling loudly for help He begged pitcously to be released but to grant his request was out of the sheriff's power and he was finally quieted by a do e of strong medicine. Although a blacksmith by trade and a big, brawny fellow, the objects which be conjures up in his debruum have ma de an abject coward of him He is being watched over by Red Donahue and Michael Callanan, the only two prisoners, now in fall, and if he is no better tonight, a guard will be placed over him. The sheriff has had one prisoner to die under similar conditions and he don't care to have it re-

The Weather. Washington, Dec. 4 .- Ohio, show to-. In wathern pertion littley.

The Royal House of the Romauoffs is Rapidly Falling Into Decay.

Prayers were Offered Today

Miss Loftus has been a member of Sir By Loyal Russians for the Ultimate Recovery of the Heir Presumptive to the Throne, Who is Now Hovering on the Borders of Death.

of cats mingled with the loud crowing Petersburg says religious services educated and an experienced adminof cocks and the soft cooing of doves, were held there today in celebration istrator. He has traveled over Europe in the discordant sounds that greeted of the birthday of the Czarowitz, who and much of Asia. He was greatly was born Nov 22, O. S. (Dec. 4.) The esteemed by the late Czar and enjoys services included thanksgiving for the the confidence of the Dowager Czar Czarowitz' progress toward recovery, ina, who is the most influential figure although as a matter of fact, those in among the reactionary forces that con a position to know, declare that the troi the Russian councils. She and heir presumptive to the throne is af- Vladimir have had many differences flicted with tuberculosis, and that the as to Russia's Asiatic programme and

The announcement was made last cordial relations have been resumed August that the Czarowitz was engaged to marry the second daughter of and Paris. His manner is engaging Grand Duchess Anastasia, of Meck-and his handsome person is familiar lenburg-Schwerin, the Duchess Cecile to the boulevardiers. When visiting Augustine Marie. It is resailed as a here, he has always gone about the significant fact that no date has been city in an unconventional way and is set for the union, nor have any pre- altogether more democratic than any parations been made for the event. To put it plainly the condition of the of Russia. young Grand Duke is regarded as hopeess unless the climate of the Crimea should work a miracle. The pulmonary the Politische Correspondent of this lisorder with which he is suffering is city says complicated by a tendency to diabetes.

These diseases have worked fright-

his fifty-fifth year

ienna. Dec 4-A dispatca from St 1 Vladimir is in vigorous health, well disease has reached an advance stage, there was a brief estrangement, but

> Vladimir is very popular in Vlenna other member of the reigning tarri'y

In a careful dispaten to his pro-r the St. Petersburg correspondent of

be dominated by the military pair ful mischief among the collateral bran- has little simpathy with the political ches of the house of Romanoff and doctrines of Nicholas He embodies have already found shining marks in the prudence of the Romanoffs, like all Russians, he is full of craft But With the demise of the Czarowitz and his tendancies are toward the ful the Czar without a son the diadem of filiment of Russia's so-called tradition the Romanoffs, the richest prize at al mission, and the imperial sceptor tainable by human ambition, would would be wielded by him with no pass to the eldest uncle of the Czar, special deference to that wise prince the Grand Duke Vladimir who is in ple of orbitration of which Nicholas is the most illustrious exponent

VICTIM DIED IN HORRIBLE AGONY.

Shopmates Played a Practical Joke Upon a Sixteen Year Old Boy.

PATTERSON, N. J., DEC 4 -HAR-JUNTIL HIS BODY WAS ABNORM-RY WRIGHT, 16 YEARS OLD. DIED ALLY EXPANDED THOSE CON IN TERRIBLE AGONY IN THE GENERAL HOSPITAL HERE TO-DAY. HE WAS THE VICTIM OF A PRACTICAL JOKE, FIVE BOYS, AT THE COOK LOCOMOTIVE SHOPMATES BLOWING HIM UP WORKS. THEY ARE UNDER AR-WITH AIR FROM AN AIR PUMP REST

CERNED WERE HENRY DORN, AL-BERT ROSS. DANIEL CHRISTIE, LEONARD VANDERSLAY AND WIL-LIAM HENTGER, ALL EMPLOYED

HAD TWENTY DOLLARS SAVED AT ONE TIME.

Testimony Before Strike Commission Shows Mining Not Very Profitable.

first witness to take the stand before acquainted with all departments of the once."

Scranton, Dec 4 .- Andrew Matty, a , work Matty told of difficulties of seminor employed by Cox Bros, was the curing cars to load and that frequently he had to remain in the mines all day. and only receive one car. When asked the strike commission this morning, if he had saved any money by mining, He said that it took about 15 years to Matty answered promity. "I had as become a practical miner thoroughly much as twenty dollars in my pocket

RECORDS BROKEN

in the history of furnace building will own men have been broken by the Carnesie Steel Company tomorrow, which is the day set for the blowing in of the new 'J' furnace with the Edgar Thomson plant at Braddock. Work on the furnace was started less their three night and Priday; colder tonight and months ago. After it was learned by

ing firms who build furnaces would undertake the task in the time desired. it was concluded to establish a precedent and have the company's own workmen construct it. The success of the venture, it is said, will result in the United States Steel Corpora-Pittsburg, Pa Dec. 4.—All records tion building all its furnaces with its

Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Di., Dec. 4 .-- Cattle 5,000, active 10 to 20 cents higher; hoge 32,months ago. After R was learned by 600, notive 10 cents lighter; cheep, the company that name of the construct 14,000, 15 and 15 claims lighter.

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Reliable Richland Township Produces a One Hundred Barreler.

Jackson and Marion Townships Also Furnish Several Good Wells to the Oil Producing Fraternity. Oil News from Many Sections of the Allen County Field.

Consistent with the splendid record company's fast well on the John M. escablished during the past month, the Crawford form section 27 was a 10litten county completions of the past barreler. with shows me very good pro! The Bowell Oil company has a good stucers and indicate that the output well at No 3 D R. Owens, in section Ada, and other guests from Mt. Verwill be kept at close to the normal 3 of York township, the first day's out- nonhe eres for some time

in the Richland township pool the section, the Empire Oil & Refining cest well of the late ones is Jessup, company's No. ? Rebecca Duprey was hing & Aiken's No 15 on the L. Augs-I good for 20 bbls, and the Bradley Oil burger farm section 34 which pro-company's No 3 Wm R Owens startdured 1.0 barrels the first 24 hours ed at a C-obl gait. after shot. On the Asa Stratton farm ! In Woodville township of Sandusky

Brozein Sha & Co. have finally Ohio Oil company's No. 28 R. Hartcomplete: the first well on the John man, section 29, is pamping sait water. Fest farm section 31 and have a 30 Raiph Bros, have a salt water pumpharrel producer at the start. On the 1 & J. Amstatz, section 29, the Lima, farm, in section 29 of Waterville town-On company has a 40 barrel well in ship, Lucas county The Empire State & Lima Oil company - No. 10, M. Wenzinger, section it was a 20 harroler, and the Oano & Indian Oil company's No 19, barrels at the start

In Jucksen township, the flandy Pet resem empaths No. 1 on the Thos. I' ther farm section 4 was good for harrole the fire day

Roth Arene & Co have (ompleted a well on the Viery Peters form in sec tion I of Sharr Creek township two and one half miles portheast of Elicawhere started producing at the path of to make the feather than the feather tha forms whates by them when the reint say was made

class were made on the A.P. Good form, section 11. Millian the fire day content having been to harrely. In the a 20 bid well and in section 10, the same ention, the Ohio Oil company's No 2 4 L Cotnor was good for (6 No 15 J Noter natte's, and its section 15, the Obio's No 1. G W Dilsaver was very light, producing only 2 bas the first 24 No 42 C Charabergler, sect in 35 and

The Ohio bos a splene id well at No i or the D D miller tarm in section " of from an town-lop, two makes east 10 was a " bbl well of Dida. After the shot it made 87 barre's n 24 heres. In section 19, of the same township J D Downing & Mont, recommended Ely's Cream companye No 3 M Cremean, was a I's barrel well

Maire Bros' No 1, on the J Lutz farm section 25 Amanda township, made 40 barrels the first day.

ship, Heary Weill's No. 10, on the Wm. Smer farm, was good for 50 barrels at

The Shawnee Oil company's No 7 Sam Sovker in section 25, of Shawnee township, was light making only 9 bairels the first 24 hours

Various Ohio Producers.

In the Oho Cuy field section 22 Liberty township, Van Wert county, I D Downing & Co bave completed the production of which was 3 and at their barn at 123 west Spring 18 oblis respectively, the first 24 hours The Queen City Oil & Gas company's 370; prices reasonable. No 7 on the A. Beldon, Sr., farm sec tion 31, Liberty, was a duster. This was somewhat of a surprise, but anything may be expected of that portion the house. Instant relief in cases of of the snotted western field

in Ridge township, the Eureka Oil sort.

gut baving been 65 bbls. In the same

section 1, was a 5-bbl well, and the

er in their No. 1 on the H F Vanfleet

Hattie I Huffman, completed a good

well at No. 12 on the W W Boller

farm, in section 2 of Ailon township

Ottawa county It is something ex-

the first 24 hours after the shot it pro-

Wood County Results.

t: McDonald, & O'Dell & Co., have a

and well at No. 15 Lewi Gorver sec

tion 14 which produced 50 this the

The Man stic Oil company has one

of Similar enlabre in No. 2 on the U.W.

Porough farm section 36 Henry town

sh b In section 33 Herry, the Obio

tell company & No J.C. A. Rosser, was

same company has a 30-barreler at

Two 4-bbl wells are reported from

Portage township, the Gem (21 (), s

Golley, hiroug & Goodrich's No. P.

Amos, section 10 In Bloom township

W E Vaneman's No 3 D Lee, section

Rev John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls.

Balm to me I can emphasize his

statement, "It is a positive cure for ca-

tarrh if used as directed."-Rev. Fran-

cis W Poole, Pastor Central Pres.

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tarrh - Joseph Stewart, Grand Ave,

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burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any

Church, Helena, Mont.

Buffalo, N. Y.

St. New York.

In Liberty township of Wood coun-

duced 100 bbls of oil. In section 10 of

the Wm Clark farm

The non-fritating catherie. Price 5 cents of all druggists or by mail of C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

LAFAYETTE.

Rev. Barker and tamly, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Bucy-Mrs. Milton Boyd.

ate Thanksgiving dinner with his be present to receive the secret work. mother, Mrs Elizabeth Gensel, with

other gue is, on last Thursday. other gue s, on last Thursday.

Mr s. 18. A. S. Rudy and ramily, spec. riving day at the home of Mrs. 3. 3 parence. On the same evening the doctor preached at the Methodist prayer meeting, telling of his religious experience which began several years since in the same church when he was the village doctor.

Dr and Mrs Sager Jr, entertained last Friday, Rev and Mrs. Scoles and son, of Beaver Dam, and daughter of Ada, and other guests from Mt. Versions are the best than the same the best than the system of the system

Mr. and Mrs. W Biteman, entertained their children and grand-children

The Grange hall southeast of Lafayette, was filled with many people to give thanks for the prosperity of adjoining, the Builton Oil company shounty, G. H. Danischroder's No. 6 fee, Christian church preached the annual things in the way of good music, recitations and a grand dinner at the noon

Last Friday evening under the aus pices of the Jackson township teachers issociation, Prof. Davison, of Ada, gave the first lecture of the series that is to follow each month during the school year. If the speaker's that will follow Prof Davison will be as good James Utilitys section 27, made 10 certicinal for that district, as during as he, there will be a great intellectual feast in store for all those that are permitted to hear. The people of the same township, Weber & Ackim Lafayette enjoy good lectures, somehave a 10 bbl well in their No 16 on thoug that lifts them up to a higher and better ideal of right living some thing to think of that is empobling, and Prof Davison can do it.

The new Christian church is almost eady for dedication. A church that s beautiful without and within, a burch edifice that would be a credit to any town or city

The women of the Christian Lather an and Methodist churches ha made s veral hundred dollars within the la t three or four years by all legiti mate means to beautify their churches The Lutheran women are unusually busy at this time, as very early in the spring, a new church will be built in the village

The W. C. T U keeps "pegging away' and they like Joshua of old. number became "asseouraged nor dis-

Since the October days, we have had two temperance mass meetings at which time the echos of the state and national conventions were given. The annual Thanksgiving service were held by the local union, services of praise for victories achieved in the great work of the W. C T. U., also inlividual experiences on spiritual and material lines. Prayers were offered weeks I believe myself cured of caby thankful hearts also that grand old bythn written by Cemnich, "Children of the Heavenly King" also the one by Isaac Watts, "Come, Let us Join Our Cheerful Songs," was sung with the spirit and with the understanding On Sunday the 23d of November, the world's temperance Sunday was observed as usual in our Sunday schools. There were many signatures given to two wells on the S A Brown farm, wood on short notice. Leave orders the anti-cigarette piedge, also the pledge not to use alcholic drinks. In addition several earnest talks on "Civil Righteousness," And many questions pertaining to our duties as mothers of government, as well as our duties to God, especially that intemperance more than any other thing destroys the "right relations" between

MARY E. MEHAFFEY

You se got to hustle all the time to keep in the swim. If you are slipping down the ladder of prosperity, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes People stremuous.

man and man

H. F Vortkamp, corner Main and North serects.

WELL KNOWN

Club Man of New York Became a Benedict Today.

Bordentown N J Dec. 4 -Archie Pell, the well known New York society and club man, was married here today to Mrs Sara Cromwell Bent The ceremony which took place at the home of the bride was an extremely quiet affair, and was attended only by the relatives and a few close friends of the bride and groom.

The Kind You Have Always Braght

THE ELKS

Will Hold a Social Session This Evening.

Tonight the Elks will hold a scalal session in the banquet hall after the regular lodge meeting. A program of emertalnment has been prepared and will be rendered by sor se of the lodges rus, enjoyed a fine Thanksgiving din- veteran entertainers. An oyster supper ner at the country home of Mr and will be served an a general good time will be enjoyed. A number of mem-Mr and Mrs. James Gensel, of Lima. bers who were recently initiated will

HOW'S THIS!

Hall's l'amily Pills are the best

FOURTH ANNIVERSARY.

First United Brethren church next sunday. Dec 7th, will be observed as anniversary day in the U B. church, corner Spring and Union streets. This will be an memorable day in the histhe ear Rev Castle, pastor of the tory of the church. Five years ago. July 5, the old church burned Four sermon. The day was full of good years ago Nov 27th, the bandsome new church was dedicated. Each returning anniversary has been abserv ed in raising funds to pay the debt. This will be the same this year in an debt. A large part of it has been already pledged Pastor Davis will bring in their offerings, both morning and evening. The first note of the thousand will be burned at the conclusion of the services. All are cordially invited to attend these services

Foils a Deadly Attack.

"My wife was so ill that good physicians were unable to help her" writes M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., "but was completely cured by Do King's New Lab Pills" They work wonders in stometh and liver troubles. Cure constipation sick headache 25e at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store corner Main and North

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Buy your winter clothing and other needs in our line of us, we are positively sure your dollar will do double duty here. Call and convince yourself that your buying here will be a saving to you.

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Misses black wool hose from the better grades on down Misses black cotton, guaranteed stainless, 9c per pair or three for

Ladies fancy hose in endless variety, from 10c on up to \$2.00.

Ladies eashmere hose all sizes from 25c on up-

Ladies fleeced hose all grades, a complete assortment of sizes at

Men's one-half hose one grade mixed, our leader per pair only 5c Men's one-half hose, one grade mixed the single pair, three pairs

Men's black and fancy hose from 10c on up to 75c per pair Men's cashmere hose in all grades, black and national colors and many other choice things in hosiery not here mentioned, but worthy

Underwear Department.

As the cold winds from the north sweep around the corner it reminds us and brings us face to face with stern realities. We can't change its course, but we can seil you good Underwear that will protect you from its chilly blasts. The line we are showing comprise all that modern skill can produce. See our line of Children's goods in full ribbed, full fiseced extra weight. The best values on the market. Our prices are 9c, 10c, 11c, 12%c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c. Our line of Children's Australian Wool Underwear is without a rival. Infants' Wool Wrappers from the better grades down. Ladies' and Misses' Union Suits in endless variety. Ladies' separate piece goods from the better grades down.

Men's full fleeced underwear, special. Men's full fleeced underwear, special € 39c Men's full fleeced Egyptian underwear Men's sanitary wool fleeced underwear Men's nat wool plush back extra quality . And many other numbers worth looking after,

Ladies, misses and children's golf gloves, extra quality 42-25c Ladies, mercerized skirts @69c, \$1 90, \$1 25, \$1 50, \$1 75, \$2 00, \$2 25 \$2 50, \$2 75, \$3 90 and \$3 75

Ladies knit skirts in cotton and all wool-all colors

Infants knit jackets, hoods, caps and booties in great variety

Special prices on Ladies' walking skirts

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Wedding of Two Couples Announced.

Pleasant Social Event was Held at Miss Mitchell's Last Night.

Ita Hartman is Painfully Burned With Acid While at Work Yesterday-General and Per-

sonal Notes. Presbyterian church, of Cranbury, N. J., who delivered the sermon at the installation of his brother, Rev. W. M. Several months ago, the congrega-Curry, as pastor of the south Main tion of the south Main street Presbystreet Presbyterian church, is a man' terian church, extended a unanimous who has always had the courage of call to the Rev. Wm. Melville Curry, his conviction. Several years ago of Linesville, Pa., to assume the past Mr. Curry was pastor of the Presbytorate of the church, and he complied. terian church at Huntsville. While Last night, in the presence of a large there he inaugurated a temperance concourse of interested persons, he agitation in the face of a united opwas formally installed in his new pasposition but eventually won the town torate. The church auditorium was going "dry." During those stirring artistically decorated for the happy times in the village. Mr. Curry was the occasion. Palms, ferns cut flowers: victim of many depredations but reand potted plants, were in profusion mained undaunted. One day three upon the rostrum and pulpit, which rowdies came to Huntsville to "paint" presented a beautiful appearance. A large number of persons responded shall was unequal to the task of suc to the invitations issued by the sest cossful coping with the bullies. Rev. don, and were present to witness the erry happened along and immediate ly seized the ring leader of the would installation of the Rev. Curry, into be desperadoes, and promptly marched the duties of his new charge. About him to the calaboose. The fellow had a reputation as a fighter, but said that ing, the Rev. R. J. Thomson, D. D. when he felt the strong hand of the pastor of the Market street Presbyterminister upon him he knew it was ian church, of this city, inaugurated i wise for him to peacably submit. the services through which he presided with elegance, dignity and grace. In Gas is being piped along south a brief, but pleasing address, he ex-Union street to afford facilities for plained the object of the ceremovies. street lighting. The boulavard lamps and introduced the Rev. A. O. Raber, will be placed as outckly as possible. pastor of the Presbyterian church of Office Suite—31-32 OPERA HOUSE BLOCK | Delphos, who addressed the congrega-Ira Hartman, of Oak street, is contion upon its relation, duties and fined to his home as the result of painfully burning his left foot with acid while working yesterday. Mrs. Joseph Kindell, of south Elizabeth street, has gone to Cleveland to visit relatives. Mesdames Frank B. Wilson and Mrs. Heury Kaiser, of Kenton, are greats of local friends.

rights. Rev. Raber, is an eloquent speaker. His discourse was a masterful effort highly appreciated by the large audience. The Rev. John Montgomery, of Findlay, delivered the charge to the pastor. It his comprehensive dissertation, he counterated the duties of the pastor to his people. The installation sermon was delivered by the Rev Joseph E. Curry, of the First Presbyterian church, of Cranbury, N. J. Mr. Curry, who is a broson, Edward Helser, on south Elizather of the Rev. W. M. Curry, is a gentleman of many scholarly attainments. Before assuming the pastorate of the church in which he now so street, will remove shortly to Piqua. himself by a long course of special study in the University of Edinburgh, Scotland. In his eloquent discourse last night, he explained upon subjects of grave importance to both the pastor fuse subsidutes. H. F. Vortkamp. and the congregation. The address was replete in salubrious advice to both minister and people, who were pleased with the admirable sermon, which was the advice of a brilliant mand, devoted to the true conception of great truths, established for the government of spiritual matters. Rev. Curry, who was so auspiciously con-

came to south Lima, highly recom-

membed for the important position

brief administration of the local Church's affairs, he has demonstrated

remarkable ability that cannot fail to benefit the church, and the great

cause of Christianity, to which he is so

Quiet Wedding.

street, yesterday, Rev. Daniel Lepley. soleminized the wedding of Miss Mary

Chy, to Henry A. Brinkman. Both are

worthy young persons who have the

best wishes of many friends. They

Añothe One.

Tenday evening at his home on south

Elicabeth street, Rev. E. T. Bowdel,

officiated at the marriage of Miss

Bella Spain to George H. Cox. The

bride is an estimable young lady of

south Lima, the groom is a well known

young man employed in the local oil

fields. They will establish their home

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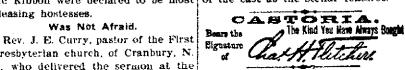
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Both Were There. Miss Millyun-One can be very happy in this world with health and mon-

Why They No Longer Speak. She (romantically)-What would you do if we should meet in the hereafter? He tearnestly; -I'd go through fire

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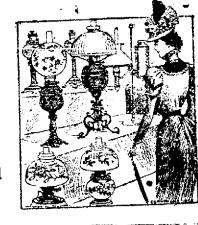
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Afficia of the Red Cap of Liberty blance headgear. The Ruise of the are the victime of despetism " said the Deoble, torgetting the circumstances of the riot and so the red cap became the factorite with the extreme party.

र्वेषक दिवस वर्षता अर्थ है कहा का प्राप्त करा किया है। To bourson प्राप्त करा किया का से भाग tempotently will be a principlen memeet the third is expendently a bit of e tier. I co rut it a semili cotton ; 1) that if 500d its excessive or oil of cloves. were took with unother to of dry cotton or still better a little bossway. and cotten kieuded together This keeps out the air and downs the "rule-

SELL CHEAPLY ABROAD

Mr. Patterson Shows How the Trusts Exploit the People.

Their Products in Lurepean Mars, tion abroad." keis for consdicably Less Than They Charge Herae Consumers, How the l'armers Are Rabbed.

It has long been known that American manufacturers charged higher Deliy edition, three mouths..... 1 23 prices to nothestic customers than to foreign customers. The Referm club of New York less repeatedly called attention to the g'arms discrepancy between export and domestic prices. Naturally the protectionests have denied the truth of these facts and figures. The Republican leaders have come out formally and declared that all such charges against the patriotism of our cherished manufacturers are false and unworthy of behef by the patriotic citizens of this great land of freedom. But the fact remains that our manufacturers continue to sell for any price they can get abroad, while

they exploit the consumers at home. Mr. Patierson of Tennessee in a masferral speech in the house of representatives showed up the great burden and wrong of the protective tariff system Mr. Patterson did not simply confire himself to giving comparisons of domestic and export prices. He gathered quotations from many sources, proving that it is the unversal practice to make domestic prices exceed foreign prices from 10 to 100 pet resit.

The American Machinist of Sept. 26, 180, 450.

"Just whe American manafacturers will sell machinery and other goods from 19 to 70 per cent cheaper to Europe than they will sell them to be deed at home is rather pulzanz, but ary the curious in the matter can easily enough find out that many of them do that. It may be necessary to cut thees in order to seeme trade from accord, but it is likely to strike the American purchaser as being a mitte rough on him."

The Uncheering and Mining Journal of March 15, 1890, complained of the

Associas an industry has obtained a position where it can more than supphy our home market and has to send As goods at road where they compete with those of foreign manufacturers, . en propero done Whether the pass of is evident that they are either givor block as while the condition is the rates than they do our own people or The city of an are toen patched that they are able to get along at home and they had two crazy quits and without any protection from foreign manufacturers. It is not fair that our very well that it was useless for him than toreigners for the products more

and where they have been torn up a Quincy, III, Mr. A. B Farquiar, head are made at a very much lower rate has they are almost ready to be of the Pennsylvania Agricultural than those here. I think you can safe-BUS SAM

are a monstrous swindle upon the ag., line of fron and steel-nearly all the

hest sermons on the subject. At the sold much lower abroad, we could only sell at lower prices in foreign markets same time he takes or asion to say need protection to get better procs than they do in the home market? that William Randolph Hearst Lever from our customers at home. He do | "A. That is true, perfectly true." manufacture and sell in Canada. South | The testimony of Mr. Byron W. Holt and that cartoonist Davenport is a to- implements and machines and could conclusively the way in which the we have free raw material and the American consumer is held up by the tobacco but from tea and coffee as commercial advintages which free fariff protected trusts. Practically all west. Thus is the intemperate organ, trade would give us America would be our manufactured products are sold to of Gambrinus corked up'-New Ordcome the great manufacturing em doreigners for less than to Americans. porium of the world, and the farmer. This robbery must be stopped. The of course would share the prosperity, only way to stop it is by repealing the since he would have less to pay for projective tariff, everything and get better prices for The red or p of oberts had a very pro- (all be sold. Go on with your good dustical strife when the protective tarsair origin Instead of being the North White the farmer begins to iff is a burden and not an aid. Our mas-

> it is doomed." that "the progress of work on st P our mights activities. "Equal and exterisis require higher prices from the conquer. American consumers than from the foreign consumers for substantially similar products." It is also admitted

"suerican export platemakers are interested in preventing the establishinterested in preventing the establishintere

ment of plate mapufacturing to their costomer sations abroad, and to that end bid low enough in foreign markets. to discourage foreign pations from entering the field for producit a their own plates at home." The same authority contends that this policy is "shortsighted" and shows how it is curtain ing the home demand. Up to April 1900, it "had resulted in a very positive shrinkage in domestic consump tion. Farmers had ceased to purchase barbed wire for wire fences Retail bardware dealers had commained for months of diminished business in nails and wire. Jobbers had got in the way of doing a hand to mouth business on prices that had advanced from \$1.35 to \$3.20 in the course of a year." The writer goes on to say;

"If steel rails, for example, sell at s for home consumption cogn customer is pinch asi \$22 to \$24 per ion, the clomestic market is one to e der to make being. In the long run such a celery is shortsighted, because it puts an theots in enterprises requiring menter? steel. It arrests constructive projec a at home, while it stimulates construc-

Our small manufacturers don't want protection, but most of them are afraid to speak their own minds through femof the big trusts. Mr. F. A. Wilmut, president of the Wilmot & Hobbs Manufacturing company of Bridgeport, Coun , in a letter to the Iron Age said:

"We would suggest that you give due prominence to the position which the manufacturing associations in the various cities, particularly along the At lantic seaboard and Canadian border and especially in New England, are taking as regards their present handicap in the cost of raw material, such as coal coke, iron, steel ingots and bil lets, and their desire to have these commodities placed by congress immediately on the free list. They believe that as these materials are produced cheaper in this country than in any other portion of the world and are sold abroad at lower prices than along the seaboard and Canalian border the industries which produce them are no longer infant and do not need protection. They believe that protection, so called, is but another term for government assistance to monopolies and trusts. This position the government, as it now exists, can ill afford to assume, nor can it allow the people to feel that it is driven into a position where it is working hand in hand with gigantic trusts, for when the people realize such to be the condition they will undoubtealy rise in their might and by their votes change the coul, tions and the government which per mits such conditions. It is to be hoped the the government of the I made States will appreciate the position and make such changes in tariff regulations. or duties from time to time as will resuit in putting upon the tree list such commonities as do not further need protection on the score of their being

infant Industries " The testimon; of Mr. Charles M. Schwab before the industrial commission opened the eyes of many who bud fondly believed the statements of Republican leaders extelling the patriotism and virtues of our manufacturers. Extracts from Mr. Schwah's testimetry mean a great deal more then appears on the face of them, for his statements were in the nature of evidence meriminating houself and his companions. Naturally he did not show great enthusizsm to tell the whole truth. He knew to deny the facts, so be attempted to

in part: "It is quite true that export prices lig say this, that where large expent "The i t is that our protective inw, business is done-for example, in the on all down the line But labor, within

"Q is it a fact generally true of all "Certainly, as our manufactures are exporters in this country that they do

The time has come in this great inthat and rise up against this swindle, tery of the world is assured when we enter the contest on equal terms and The systematized piundering of the demand no undue advantage either at bureau of statistics, a department of new and various fields will present the government designed to manufact themselves. The rare skill of the Amerture prosperity and show the meet. Ran workman the inventive genius of parable heating of the trotects e sys- the American people and the immense tem has negertly pub shed a the vel- impetus of a freeborn race will win in unlike confirmations. The protection a contest of fair exchange. The world prospently makers have a data confess to the attermost part is the theater of by dair in the United States has been act justice to all, special privileges to returded" because makers of steel mannone," is the sign by which we shall gets back .- Life.

> to a very old family. She-Well, she's justified There are

BESTED THE PARSON. Case Where the Wedding Ring

Went on the Right Hund. A cirrical correspondent of the London Express tells of a wedding ceremony in which he officiated and in his seal for rubrical observances laid himself open to a comical and crushing

"I was then curate of a small country parish in Somersetshire, and one day a couple presented themselves after due preliminaries for marriage in the village church.

"All went well until the moment came when it is directed by the rubric that the man shall place the ring upon the fourth fluger of the woman's left hand, but then trouble began. The yokel, apparently from nervouscess or by \$35 per ton for months ignorance, laid hold of the right hand of his expectant bride and placed the

ring there resolutely.
"'No.' I said, with quiet firmness, 'you must put the ring on her left, than it is obliged to have for the time hand.' To this his only reply was a stolid stare. Thinking he bad not understood me. I repeated my words, but with no better effect.

"With as much warmth and in- lined, at \$10. sistence as was justified by the occasion I now took firmer ground and said, 'If you do not put the ring on her left hand, I must stop the serv-

"And then the climax came. With a ; complacent smile, that seemed to show his satisfaction at having for the moment 'bested' the parson, the bridegroom settled the point for all time tan. with the words, 'Please, sir, she ain't got none!"

How Billiards Were Invented. The English are very fond of the game of biliards, and a letter in the British museum gives the origin of the sport. It was invented by a London pawnbroker, whose name was William Kew. Kew not only lent money, but he sold cloth, and for the latter purpose had a yard measure, with which he used to compute the amounts. One day to distract himself he took the three round balls which are the emblems of his trade-they may still be seen in front of certain shops in Londm-and, placing them on his counter. began to hit them about with his yard

He found it made a pretty game. He got a kind of skill in making one bail glance off the other, and his friends who saw him thus employed called the game Bill's yard. It was soon shortened into billiards. But the yardstick was the instrument with which the balls were knocked about, and difficul ty arose as to what to call it. They called it after the name of the pawnbroker-a Kew-Paris Pigaro.

Ten Men and a Safe.

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Brenking Glass.

is an easy method of breaking glass to any required form: Make a small notch by means of a file on the edge of a piece of glass; then make the end of a tobacco pipe or a rod of iron of about the same size red hot in the fire Apply the hot iron to the notch and draw it slowly along the one would go continually with wet feet surface of the glass in any direction you please. A crack will be made in the glass and will follow the direction

Embarrassing For the Professor. Professor (to his class)-Gentlemen, I have to apologize for a short delay in beginning this lecture. I have unfortunately left my manuscript at home, but my boy, whom I have sent for it, will be here shortly.

Professor's Son (audibly)-Mother couldn't find the manuscript, so she has sent the book you copied it from .--New York Times.

Brown's Sympathy. Jones-Charley fell from a street car last evening.

Brown-Oh, I'm awfully sorry! Jones-But he wasn't hurt at all. Brown-1 wasn't thinking about Charley. I was thinking of the sufferings of those who would be told about that fall for months to come.-Boston

A Puzzler.

"Paw." said little Tommy Figg on being scolded, "I beard Mr. Watts say that great men's sons sever did any good. I sin't a great man's son, am

Up to a late bour Mr. Figg's mind had not found a sufficiently diplomatic, let her have proper credit."-Chicago

Donble Work.

First Decerator- i advised him to have his house decorated during his wire a absence as a surprise. Second Decorator-Good! Then we'll have to do it all over again when she

Good Manners.

Good manners is the art of making He-Miss Beliacour claims to belong those people easy with whom we converse. Whoever makes the fewest persons uneasy is the best bred in the

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Special Suit Sale.

We still have a few small sizes in Walking and Dress Suits to close out quick, \$8.98, \$11.98 and \$12.98, worth double.

Silk Skirt Bargains.

To clean up our stock, have reduced price on about a dozen Silk Skirts: former price \$12.50, \$15 and \$18. Sale price \$10. One lot Peau de Soie and Taffeta Silk

Skirts at \$12, worth up to \$20. A very handsome line of Silk Skirts in Peau de Soie at \$15, worth up to \$30.

Just received a new lot of very handsome and elegant Skirts in etamine, basket

New Skirts.

cloth and cheviot to, the Christmas trade, A very beautiful Dress Skirt in cheviot in the new cut at \$15.

Etamine Skirts in the latest style, very handsome, silk drop, at \$18.

Etamine and basket cloth Skirts in

black only, silk drop, at \$25. A new style Walking Skirt, box plait and very swell, blue, black and brown, at

For Men. House Coats and Smoking Jackets.

Smoking Jackets in brown and garnet, trimmed with cord and stitching, \$5. Oxford Smoking Jackets, black and white, trimmed, at \$5.

Navy, garnet and brown Smoking Jackets, a special good value, \$5.

Covert cloth Smoking Jackets, quilted, satin iined, at \$7.50.

Navy, brown and grey Smoking Coats in reversible cloth, plaid, trimmed, \$7.50. Silk Mattasee cloth Smoking Coats \$10 Velour Smoking Jackets in Black, with white dots, silk lined, at \$12.50.

Furs. Furs.

Some new Fur values in Isabella and Sable Fox Scarfs.

Isabella and Sable Fox at \$10. Isabella and Sable Fox at \$12, worth

Isabella Fox at \$15 to \$18, very choice.



Dress

Coods. 55-57 Palife Cyuare.

House,

Suit



Caglish In England. "You must bern the shop language

before you can go shopping in England," says a girl who has just re-i turned from there and has many stories to tell of the difficulties met in the "Shoes are not shoes unless shops. they are slippers, all boots are high, and you can't to save your life get a spool of thread because there is no such wish cotton, sheeting for instance, you ask for calico, and the tape needle to run the ribbons in your gowns is a bodkin. There is not such a thing as a shirt waist to be had in all England, for they have nothing but biouses, and if she did not learn to ask for ga-

Chemical Effects of Lightning.

Lightning works chemically. It has the power of developing a peculiar odor which has been variously compared to that of phosphorus, nitrous gas and most frequently burning sulphur. Wafen mentions a storm on the isthmus of Darien which diffused such a sulphurous stench through the atmosphere that he and his marauding companions could scarcely breathe, particularly when they plunged into the wood .-Chambers' Journal.

Ris Mintake. "Is this a commission house?" asked

the tall man. "Yes, sir," said the commission mer-

chant. "What can we do for you?" "Well, if you sell commissions I'd like to buy one, if they're not too dear, for my son. I want a lieutenant's conmission in the army, for my son wants to be a soldier, and he's too lazy to go to West Point."-Baltimore Herald.

The Branch of Pence. "How did you come to select Olive is a name for your baby?"

"Well, you see, my wife's father oblected to our marriage, and when the little one came he forgare us, so we thought it was no more than right to Record-Herald.

Not Niggardly. "You asked her father for her hard?"

'Yes ' "And he refused you?" "No he didn't He said I could have

both of 'em"-Cleveland Plain Dealer. It is easy to discourage a man who realizes that he gets all the trouble in sight -- Chicago News

There are still a few choice seats left for the "Little Tycoon," on sale at the box office.

Looking Shoeward?

Look Our Way and You'll not Regret it.

Tomorrow we call your attention to three

Specials in Ladies Shoes. A Swagger patent kind, non crackable, medium heavy

Here's Another One.

extension soles, used to be \$3.50, Tomorrow \$2.48

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A very good Shoe at even \$200, but just to make them move faster, tomorrow only, \$1.48.

The Wise Shoe Co.,

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NOTICE OF NOMINATION.

The nominations for officers in the Tribe of Ben Hur, will be made Friday night, December 5th. All members of Lincoln Court are requested to be present in their hall at 7:30 sharp

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Congress having now digested the prisidents message will proceed to do historia along the lines dictated by the Republican party bosses. What the tresident recommended is a minor matter, in the opinion of the majority party now in Congress compared with what that marry a moses dictated as

The atomien of the city council is

to ardent organ of Gambrinus. t mich doesn't like Bro Hearst's broad-tiner I was inclined to say nothing on for that purpose give you a good price the subject for the reason that it was for the materials that go into export. the or drunk nness remarks that, actual to suppose if anytholy was ben. Railroads will in some instances carry to the edger Wm. Randolph Hearst and spired it was the manufacturing class, there a little che per for you, and so Cartoonist Davenport, are notopous' to which I belong but as I have co dominards and get their inspirations of theed, the farmer is being destroy do my knowledge at least, has never been from drink Bro Hearst reproduces We are killing the goose for the good of asked to work for a lower price for this accusation in me newspaper in section and the interest of cus type, and uses it as the text for an themselves in elements the projective terest. editorial to say that those who have, feature from our tariff laws, suffered most from drink write the torches liquor or tobacco in any form.

"Thrygian bonnet" it is just the galley ? Contenurous regiment sent to the galhas for their share in the Nanor riots. Is orde by the trusts has been so out bome or abroad. As we open our ports were released and come into burns with , tageous that even the Republicans to competition so the ports of other the red caps will on their heads. They i have but to chide the infate. The countries will open to our advance, and

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ery" until a dentiat can be reached.

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WANTED-Boy about 18 years of age to work in bottling works Inquire at 792 north Main street

WANTED-Two good seamstresses experienced hands in finishing dress-Inquire at 31 Metropolitaa block

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Before Wm E Reilly justice of the peace Oltawa township Allen county

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R E Hileman On the 25th day of October 1902 order of attachment in the above as tion for the sum of forty-eight dollars

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His Saloon and Moves to Celina

has proclused the smoon of Win. Reb Mrs. Robinson will shortly remove to months telina where Mr Robinson has established a fertlizer factors

· ted colds make a fat grave Dr. Wood's Norway Pine IN VILLEOUS old age

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SPIRIT DEMONSTRATIONS.

Dr Wayne Will Produce Them in Full Light.

Sunday night Dec 7th the stage of Faurot opera bouse will be occupied officials were J F white superinter in the renowned spiritualistic medium dent of buildings and right of way Dr Amos H Wayne who will present who was accompanied by all the road a series of the remarkable manifesta masters of the system S B Floeter tions of spirit power which have made of Lama superintendent of the north him famous through this country and ern division was also one of the par as familiar a figure in theosophical ty-Findlav Republican circles as was Madam Blavatsky Mrs. Hoffmin or any other advocate of the spiritualistic cause. The program to be rendered will contain the features of the seances which Mr Wayne has Several Prisoners Arraigned given before the titled people of fer eign countries and the sev ral socie ties of London Paris Vicnna and Ber hn where the members make a study of theosophy. His work has been care fully tested by eminent authorities and he has hundreds of letters from societies and individuals who admire their inability to account for the strange phenomena he presents by any other argument than the direct as sistance of the inhabitants of another world A small admission will be charged

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F-1-s-h at Townsends

FIGHT

Put Up by the Hancock Farmers

Weakened

By Result of the First Suit in Court.

Western Ohio Met Organized Opposition in One Community,

Outcome of the McClelland Case Point in Favor of the Railway People - General News of the Railroads.

A dispatch from Findlay says Ohio tailway company all the trouble | 000 is being organized to push the in possible. The company is planning to vintion in this country said justice of the peace issued an build an electric line between Lima and Findlay A large number of farm ers aving on the line of the projected. 44 3% a right of way through their farms uncome to their terms the farmers have is governed by a certain set of rules him of whateness which is that all shall sell it a certain figure. The railway con rais bas determined to break the comrer of attachment in the above ac totration by bringing state. The first on fir the sum of forty three and that the McCleranterse won by the rolly as company has gone a long way Hen of branching about a more decision.

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> > fits 1 1 . . 3 After the opening of Rekerence not britters will the direct connection into this city will once Reads a battle i mighted short of eighteen

Conductor Held Up Conductor John Shean of Pennsyl vania trains and 15 was held up in Calcago vesterder morning within two scuarcs of his home. There were three highwaymen and two of them Symph is men and women to a hap held the muzzle of revolvers uncomfo tably mar Mr. Shean's head, while the third turned their prisoners, pock ets inside out and took a small amount of thange they found therein. The thief who did this part of the work took Mr Sheins watch out of his pocket examined it carefully and then replaced it with the remark. There pard is your watch it is probably an heirloom that is of more salve to you than anytody elst. We re not

found Lear that spot the following

hunting antiquities. The chain was

The inspection train came in on the C H & D from Deshler Among the

MAYOR'S COURT.

and Dismissed.

Officers Van Eman and Billstein were the busiest pair in police circles last night. They made a laid on the C & E depot where a gang of tramps had taken quarters for the night with out registering. The officers took the and the week to learn this morning

and then dismissed A stranger giving his name as John Ryan arrested on suspicion and John Buttick arrested for drunkenness were dismissed

Madam Roche Medium and Pak 127 west Wayne street.

GAS AND COAL

Will Not be in it With the Oil

As Applied Under a New Invention

Which Will Provide Beat in Winter and Cold in Summer .- A Big Cempany Has Been Organized.

A ten gram from Toledo says

Judge Sency, of this city, today said that Colonel Wm Heckert, a scientist ust completed an invention which it solar jed will revolutionize the fuel ge a lon. The discovery is named the trimoheater, and it is claimed for it that it will heat houses in cold wea ther and cool them in hot weather Judge Seney save it can also be used as a refrigerato- and storage battery to produce electric lights Crude pe troleum is the fuel used, and it is claimed that a large room can be heat ed by the new process at a cost of a dollar a year. The trimoheater is a For one higher in the couthern part | self finny device and neces accention of the county are determined to do all | but once a week. Judge Seney says in their power to give the Western a company with a capital of \$10 000

The invention is a combination gas and steam motor and can be used for power heating or lighting. The plans railway have absolutely refused to sell for the motor have been examined by Captain Sigsbee Commodore Melville less *1 - company pay an exorbitant and other members of the Navy Board pure. To compel the company to and they pronounce it a success Com modere Melville even went to far as Rev J H Hunton will conduct the peace Ottawa township Alien count) formed a sort of an association which to assert that it solves the fuel prob-

OUR STEIN BLOCH OVERCOATS ARE DIFFERENT FROM THE ORDI-NARY KIND MICHAEL'S

REAKES

the Indian

And the Bout was Witnessed by the Paster of Epworth Methodist Church.

bothic of also met the federa in In from late book to the more element a little less than half of their the perforcity time as heater Little a fall in six minutes, and two seconds. There was a lare crest present but have a through who line to was of the failir of the fact of ma cood se over the tale or testoases made disappointed loin G Giber of white of white of the roads. It short expected that those who hoped at least to see him the young Democrac coming from a

was no doubt as to his object in go ing That he had heard of the place and wished to reform himself as to the great contest for the nomination nature of it goes without saying and it is not the first time during the hust ling young pastors stay in Linfa that he has hunted up his own facts in the aid of his noted sermons on municual reform

The Crall Block southeast corner of the Public square has been sold through J D Foyes agency to H M Colvin for \$11,000 44 11

REMAINS

Of John Heavilin Sent to-Van Wert This Morning.

The remains of John Heavilin the a Western Ohio car near Cridersville. day before yesterday and who died in the hospital in this city vesterday morning were sent to Van Wert, over the P Ft W & C this morning The deceased's mother resides at Van

Townsend wholesales oysters

BEST CITY

In Northwestern Ohio Good Enough for "Link."

B. L. Huli one of the old time mem members of the gang to the city prison clerk at the Mammoth, who has been Marva Argus living in Dayton during the last five the Cincinnati block 'Link says street

Luna is the city for him mistry reader This is the last work left for the "Little Tycoon," on sale 5 AND 10 CENT STORE, SATURDAY leach, are large oak and walnut cases, 42-8t* at the box office

More Allen County Pioneer

Passes Away.

Joseph Roush, of Bath Township

Answered the Summons of the Angel of Death, Yesterday.

Funeral Services Will be Held a St. Pauls Evangelical Lutheran Church, Tomorrow Morning at 10 O'clock.

Joseph Roush, one of the venerable moneers of this county died at his late home in Bath township yesterday death resulting from old age and a complication of diseases, after an ill ness of several weeks duration. Fun eral services will be held over the remains at St. Paul's Lutheran church on west North street, at 10 o clock tomorrow morning. The cortege will leave the residence in Bath township at 9 30 sun time The Rev F P Bos sart pastor of St Paul's church and services and interment will be made

in Woodlawn cemetery Joseph Rough was born December 24th 1817 and came to this county from Pennsylvania in 1852 settling in Bath township where he and his sons cleared a farm. Deceased was the father of sa sons-Corne ins Solomon Hiram John K Edward and isaan all of whom were at the bedside Had an Easy Time With of the venerable man duting the last hot rs of his long and useful life

The decrased was a member of the Evaneous al Letteran church and n polities, vas a staunch Democrat

EXCELLENT

Appointment Made by Hon. H. C. Garber.

non Harvy C Garler confessmen lect from this metrict has selected Robert E Marshall of Sidney as his to o oo the trick Reaks carming private secretary. Mr. Marshall who is a nephew of Congressman Ma shall who died two years ago has been chim agent or the Erre railroad for "he pas" year or more. He is an acfamily whose connections cover all then in the presence of an unexpec | racy there is no doubt being constant land loval Mr Garber deserve-Anderson pastor of Epworth church credit for this excellent appointment was a conspicions figure and there not only from a party standpoint but in recognition of the loyal support Shelby county rendered him in his

PERSONAL MENTION. 计数据数据 经股份证券 经股份

Dave Leighty who has been very sick at the home of his friend John Sharrits on north West street is very

much improved and left yesterday for his home in Bellefontaine, Ohio Dr and Mrs J L Gray of Tiffin O and Mrs Caddy of Lima O were guests of friends in the city vesterday

Ft Wayne Sentinel Miss Mary Longsworth left for Somerset Ky this morning, where

she will be the guest of relatives for several weeks S S Wheeler of Lima Ohio a mem deaf mute who was fatally injured by ber of the Ohio Commission on Uni

formity of Laws is in Washington Tomorrow Francis B James, another member, will be here Messrs Wheeler and James are members of a subcommittee of the American Bar Association, which was appointed recently to report on the desirability of making uniform laws pertaining to warehruses. This subcommittee has come to Washington at the Invitation of the American Warehouse Associa tion now in session here -Enquirer James Shea, of Findlay was in the

J M Madigan is visiting his child

ren in Chicago Mr and Mrs Simon Christ of Lima were guests of I. H Chrismer and bers of company C and formerly a family several days this week -St

Dr T M Weadock and family who years has returned to this city and have occupied a suit of rooms in the will open a merchant tailoring and Duffield for mar years, have taken up clothes removating establishment in their residence at 729 west. Wayne

"BANTA CLAUS AT HOME." HOLI There are still a few choice seats DAY OPENING OF COON'S & CO.'S

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CAUTION

Around.

Il Weste n Ohio hag frouble with then pover thursday morning and The 7-30 car didn't leave this BY THE THOUSANDS place until 9 oclock and after the tionl! was adjusted it the power house a high tension wite bloke two ni 145 west of Wapakoneta and this or 1 cas med another dela. Authorien energicquested icimi i i. Chinal hall Sat car that left here at 4 pelock passed urday executes a size or bet setthe deadly wire a lit la loa the tions to r ground burning everstians, with which fill teame in contact and meaning a oth

lo anybody of anything that me ht.

have touched it nobody was left to guard the danger until the knemen arrived. This surely was carelesaness Against Leaving Live Wires of a nature that should not be permit ted and had an accident risalted come body in authority yould have been h able to crimmal pro cution -- St. Maris Argus

COONS & CO HAVE THEIR HOLL tisfiic was exspended about three DAY OPENING SATURDAY TOYS

CHORAL SOCIETY

Members of the cloral on my are a ≥t the blk's memo

Try Townsords to occupa

December 1st we began giving tickets on a ladies' fine \$25 00 Dresi Hat with each 50c purchase. Stacks of tickets have been given out each day and the ladies become more interested and anxious to buy each time time they see the hat, which is displayed in our south window. It is just the season of the year we are offering bargains in each department, besides giving the beautiful hat to the one holding the lucky number. Drawing takes place December 24th at 10 o'elock p m.

Look over this list and you will see many things you want and need

Separate Skirts Misses' Skirts Sur Warste Flannel Waists, Velvet Waista Silk Petitionsta Mercenized Skirts Hose Supporters Belts and Buckles Belt Broaches Collara Ce lar Buttons Silk and Wash Tirs Handkerchie's. Kid Gloves Golf Clove: Mitts and Mittens Muslin Underwear Knit Uelderwear

Night Gowns

Monte Carlo Coats

Tailor-Made Smite

Fitted Coats Children's Coats Plush Cloth Capes Baby Wraps For Scarfs Children's Fars Chiffen Boas Wrappers Dressing Sacques Corsets and Lacen Plan and Fancy Hose Plumes Buetles Hip Pads Dress Shields **Fascinators** Baby Dresses Battenberg Patterns Battenberg Braids

Knitting Cotton

Embroid ry Floss

Knitting Silke

Co'ton Thread

Silk Thread

Needles and Pans. Pillow Tops Pillow Cor is Wire Hair Pins Rubber Hair Pins Back Combs Si le Combs Harr Switches Rate and Bangs Ribbens Tips and Feathers Velvets, Silks. Chiffons, Mulls Verlings Beads Glove Boxes Kerchief Boxes Collar and Cuff Boxes Holiday Goo's Chatlam Baga Wrot Parses

Shopping Baga

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hats, Caps, Bonnets and Tam O'Shauters

Begin your purchase at once and get as many tickets on the hat as possible. Some one will get a

fine hat absolutely free. Will it be you? Mrs. F. Light,

Leading Milliner and Ladies' Furnisher. 134 North Main St.

SOME FIGURES THAT DON'T LIE.

Evidence to Show That High Insurance Rate is All Uncalled For.

matter before the public in the following article

The members of the local board of insurance combine which has the pol-linue to do business as the same old for, while some people may handle the a defense of their methods by stating that the loss sincurred to Ohio for the The rates charged for clabs.

former years when the bounds were risks taken. con in exist and heavy losses were in . Out of that amount only \$1,272,039

To establish the falsity of these siderable pains in collecting data of samed. the business done by insurance com- A comparison of the figures of 1901 beavy losses incorped from writing 1898 the profit was about 40 per cent business in Ohio. Another fact is appland in 1897 it was 49 per cent. parent, that dor'ng the time the comfor business as deadly as ever.

amounts of money received as press The Aetha, of Hartford, during the ty all the big companies have agencies capital paid up is \$4.000,000. in this cur-

Some Figures.

The Aetua insurance company, of up capital is but \$209,000. Hartford, received \$222.15) in pre- The Continental of New York, has ness. The Agricultural company, of for years. The stock is quoted at \$655 Watertown, Conn., reserved \$42,861 in and its paid up capital is \$1,006,000. promisens and vali out \$34.037, a The Fire Association of Philadelphia from two to four feet, where it turns over 50 per eest. The Contendin Fire, at \$786. of Milwaukee, received \$19,511 and The Franklin of Philadelphia, has paid out \$42,629, a profit of 48 per been paying 20 to 100 per cent on their

which does one of the largest busi- dividends of from 6 to 50 per messes in the state, receives up prees \$183,478, making a profit of the per, making and not losing is the rule. cent. The National, of Harriord another large company, received 207, charged in Columbus are not required 786, and paid out \$_49,816, a profit of by the companies to make a reason nearly 33 percent. The Home, of New able profit in Ohlo and the increases York, received \$376,000 and paid out are just so much tribute the policy \$281.744, a profit of over 15 per cent, holders pay to the combine. The Liverpool and London and Globof Liverpoot, received \$100.070 and paid out \$123,697, n profit of 35 per cent. The Phoenix, of Hartford, received \$208,576 in premiums and paid lived All the Time-The Medi sud \$150,171, showing a profit of 25 per

The same story is felling an examination of the danger of the other come Kibbon street, Lima, G., says: "Dr

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THAT KILLS THESE PARASITIC GERMS.

EL LIVE SCIENTIFIC REMEDY

Send . 0 cents in stamps for sample. For ani, of Wm. M. Melville, draggist. many friends.

The Columbus Press has taken a fact every company of the 263 or more determined stand against the fire un which took risks made profits of from derwriters, which recalls the circum- 7 to 87 per cent, except eight. These stances attending the efforts made by were the Boston, of Boston; the Hanthe business men of Lima to have a over, of New York; the Imperial, of reduction masso in the premium de- London, the Kings County, of New are other plants to be avoided by vismanded, which has been increased to York; the Merchants, of Newark; the a rate almost prohibitory. The Press Newark Fire, of Newark; the Orient, has gone to considerable pains in of Hartford, and the Traders, of Chicaorder to get some figures to hear out go. The latter company came out that its leadets incline upward. In the argument of protest and it puts the about even showing no loss on the the autumn the foliage is a brilliant

ling it. The other companies suffered grayish white grapes. heavy losses through disastrous fires. Hut these are only about one out of fire underwriters who have been drive 20 who do business in the state. The en to a last stand by the statements others were able to nake handsome ful of baking soda is carried by many published in the Press concerning the returns to their tockholders and con- persons who take walks in the woods,

Not Lesing Money.

In adding the totals the best evipasi few years have been causing a dence is secured to disprove the stategreat loss to their companies and as a most that the fire insurance companies companies during the year 1801 re- of Connecticut chanced one day on a These board agents say that in conved 53 450,547 in policies for the barn so alluring to his eye that he sat

curred, and thus in Columbus espectives paid out for losses, leaving \$3.184. tally there have been heavy loss from 464 as recenue. This sum represents trees which have not been compen a profit of \$7.7 per cent. This total is who had come to the door of the house saver is the absorats chartest in presion companies not classified as muitual companies.

Matual companies receive a profit of statements the Press has gone to con- about 41 per cent on their rishs as-

namics of the state of Ohio corrier the with a few preceding years shows that cear 1900. These statements show 1901 was better than either 1900 or conclusively that large dividends are 1889 for the insurance companies. In vaid by neest of the mearance com- 1990 the profit was only 30 per cent. number notwithstanding the so-called while in 1898 it was 28 per cent. In

Another interesting study is a comnamies are said to have ben doing bysis parison of the dividends paid stockness at a loss, they are still striving helders by the insurance companies doing business in Obio, the market A comparative statement of the value of their stocks capital paid up.

uniums and the amounts paid out in last twenty-five years, which includes losses is an interesting study. The 1901, has been paying from 22 to 27% Ohio business can be very well comper cent dividends. Its stock is quotpared with that of Columbus, as near-jed at \$29% for a share of \$100, and the

The Buffalo German, of Buffalo, has been paying from 15 to 25 per cent. All the figures given are for 1991. and its stock is worth \$500. The paid

minus and paid out \$165.238, showing from paying from 1244 to 25 per cent houses. a profit of over 25 per cent, on the buse : dividends. In 1901 it was the lowest

profit of 46 per cent. The Columbia, with a paid up capital of \$500,000, has nearly at right angles to one side or of Dayton, received \$114.505 in pro- been paying 49 per cent for the past minus and paid out \$48,597, a profit of twenty-five years. Its stock is quoted

stock and the stock is quoted at \$325.

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DRURY-MORRIS.

The welding bells rang again last night at 208 east McKibben street, at 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs Armentrout. The contracting parties were Mr. H. Drury and Miss Mae Morris W. A. Brandige of the First hurch of Christ officiated.

Mr and Mrs. Drury are two of Lima's well esteemed young people. Mr Drucy is a well driller, located in this city. They will make Lima their home raking rooms at 208 east McKibben The Bernicide Co., Detroit, Mich. street. They have well wishes of their you'll go bungry. We only eat on

DANGER IN POISON IVY.

to Know the Plant-Simple

Remedies it Affected by It. "If one knows how the Rhus toxicodendron-that is the scientific name for poisonous my dooks," said a man of the woods, "he can avoid it with case. It is sometimes a low shrub about a foot high, and it is also a graceful vine, with stout, hairy stems.

This vine sends out herizontal branchen. The bush and the vine do not look allke, but both have course toothed, oval pointed leaves. These are always three in a group, and the plant also bears small greenish white berries."

Polson out, otherwise Blue radicans, and poison sumac, or Rhus vinenta, itors to the woods. The sumac has groups of four leaflets, oval pointed in form, arranged on a tapering stem. It differs from the real sumae in so far Ohio business except the cost of hand- scarlet. The little berries look like

> A good antidote for ivy poisoning in its first stages is a solution of ordinary baking soda. A bottle containing a pint of water and a heaping tenspoonpoison vines without danger, others are poisoned if they pass within twelve feet of them .- New York Tribune.

An artist who was making a sketch ing tour through a picturesque region down on a stone wall and went to work at once.

He soon became conscious that he had two interested spectators in the to watch him.

The artist by and by discovered that he had lost or mislaid his rubber craser, and as he wished to correct a slight error in the sketch be went up to the floor and asked the farmer's wife if he might have a small piece of dry bread, This, as every artist knows, makes a groud eraser.

The farmer's wife booked at him with an expression of pity not unmixed with surprise.

"Irry bread?" she repeated. "Well, I guess you won't have to put up with any dry bread from me, young man. You come right into the kitchen with me, and I'll give you a thick slice of bread with butter on it.

"Now, don't say a word," she continued, raising her hand to ward off his expostulation. "I don't care how you came to this state nor anything about it. All I know is you're hungry, and that's enough for me. You shall have a good dinner.

The Nest of the Kingfisher,

Our American belted aleyon, or common kingtisher, is an expert hole berer There is scarcely a clayey bank along the streams of our middle and south ern states but has its face cut by the door of one of these gloomy looking

The hole is usually quite sound and goes directly into the bank, with a slight upward slant to a distance of the other, ending in a large, jug shaped pocket, where the eggs are laid. The kingfisher is my most cheerful companion when I am out for a day's or a week's angling. It is an ever fresh delight to watch him swooping down into the clear brook water with a melodious The Fire Association of Philadelphia | Other companies have been paying plunge and coming forth sparkling like a flake from a blue sea wave or a frageatch the mismow be strikes at, but his appetite is unremitting and insatiable. He eats from morning till night.-Maurice Thempson.

Two Things That Scare a Secro.

Two seemingly harmless things excite the fear of the southern negro. One is the cracking of the tinger joints; the other is to be stepped over as he Hes prome upon the ground. The cracking of the tinger joints seems to suggest to the negro imagination the ratthing of a skeleton's bones, while to be stepped over is regarded as likely to bring had luck to grown folks and to check the growth of children. A half grown negro boy will sternly command a playfellow who has stepped over his body to step back in order that the spell may be removed.

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Diplomacy.

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William-Because, manuna, I beard the little boy on the next block had the measles, and I've been visiting him all the afternoon.-Harper's Bozar.

The Poet's Explanation. "What do you mean by tembers of the dying year?" asked the poet's

"Why, Nov-ember and Decomber, of course, my dear" replied the long baired one, with a flendish grin.-Chi-

Long Time Between Ments, "If you're a stayin' for dianer," said Dr. the author's little boy, "I'm afraid publication!"-Atlanta Constitution



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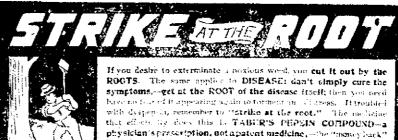
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The story of the first bank forger, Blezard William Vaughan, is little kuuwn. Vaughan was the brother of a Stafford lawyer and became clerk to a nolicitor in Landon. He wished to marry his master's daughter and promised to produce the sum of £1,000, which, he said, his mother would present to him, half of it to be settled on his wife. On these terms the father consented to the marriage, and Vaughan obtained a month's leave of absence.

He escupied this period in obtaining engraved impressions in imitation of twenty pound Bank of England notes. which was not such a difficult matter then, such things as forged notes being unknown. With fifty of these sham notes he presented himself at the appointed time, and his fiancee accepted her share in perfect good faith, and the marriage preparations were proeecded with.

Unfortunately he wanted salv mc. er and not two of his and fornotes into circulation. They were challenged, when he became alarmed and tried to get back the notes he had given to the young lady, but she refused to yield them up, suspecting nothing of their true nature, and when Vaughan was arrested next day she would hardly believe even then that she had been deceived,

The forger was tried at the Oid Bai ley on the 7th of April, 1758, spending what was to have been his wending day in the condemned cell. Four days later he was langed at Tyburn - London Standard.

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Economical.

There is a reminiscence of Caleb Bulderstone in the utterance of an economical Scotch butler who was lately waiting at an important dinner. He had taken round a plate of beef in valu After his last effort at persuasion had failed be set it down in front of his master with decision. "Ye maun tak" that versel" be said. "I cauna get

A Thousand Dollars Worth of Good. A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, U., writes, I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder of antiseptics like red gum, blood root trouble for years, passing gravel or which act upon the blood and cause stones with excruciating pain. I got the elimination of the catarrhal poison no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like tine stones and now I have no pain across my nevs and I feel like a new man. It has done me a \$1000 worth of good." H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and



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Delivers an Address to Students at Lima College.

To say that Lima college has been the recipient of several rare treats: for the past month, would be putting at disease. the matter in too tight a form. The school never before had such a large attendance and such a prosperous outlook as at the present. Last week Rev. Bossari of the St. Pauls Lutheran church of this city, addressed the student body, congratulating the faculty and students on the work being ner the advantages of the denominational school over all others. The students had the pleasure of

begging a very eloquent and appro-1 late a dress delivered by Supt. Mil-, of this city. His subject was "The Small Colleges." In the course of his address he turned the minds of his hearers to the work that many of the small colleges in Ohio have done. and are doing. While these schools are not large in attendance they are large in their power to edueate. That the race does not belong to the strong and the swift; that in this educational race it is a question entucly of what you are worth; that Miami university gave to us David Swing, ex-President Harrison ex-Senator Brice; that Kenyon college gave to us Rutherford B. Hayes and Edward Stanton, that Antioch college and Hiram college gave us Jas. Carfield who said that if he were in the woods with Mark Hopkins with him self on one end of the for and Mark Hopkins or the other he would think that he was in a great university, be cause he would be under the influence of a great mind. This Sept. Miller said. was one of the crear adventages which students of the small college had, viz., the personal watact with teachers of great man! In the larger selv ols tertain that they should. From this but of more sel of books than those of the farzer and In this the dishipt ous to more book than he an is wrally use and book that can not be seed are worthless

The speak reportuded his remarks by saying that nothing is more de ira ble than the intellectual development of a community a community morally erect, unright and strong and that Lima Calloge with its body of enthus istic students, with its strong faculty. had a great work before it in which he wished it abundant success

---A CAUSE OF HEADACHE.

One Very Common Cause, Generally Overlooked.

Headache is a symptom an indicam of derangement organ, and the cause of the head ache is difficult to locate because so many diseases have headache as a prominent symptom; derangement of the stomach and liver, neart trouble, kidney disease, lung trouble, eye strain or ill tained by said city as liquidated damfltting glasses all produce headaches and if we could always locate the organ which is at faelt the cure of obstinate headaches would be a much impler matter.

However, for that form of headache called frontal healache, pain back of the eyes and in forehead, the cause is now known to be catarrh of the head, and throat, when the headache is located in back of head and neck it is often caused from catarrh of the stomach or liver.

At any rate catarrh is the most common cause of such headaches and the cure of the caparrh causes a prompt. disappearance of the headaches.

There is it present no treatment for catarrh so convenient and effective as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, a new inter-! 1905 nal remedy in tablet form, composed from the system through the natural

channels. Miss Cora Ainsley, a prominent schools, speaks of her experience with. caterrhal headaches and eulogizes Stuart's Catarrh Tablets as a cure for them. She says: "I suffored daily from severe frontal headache and pain in and back of the eyes, at times so intensely as to incapacitate me in my daily duties. I had suffered from car of proposal furnished by the tarrh, more or less for years but never thought it was the cause of my headaches, but finally became convinced that such was the case because the headaches were always worse whenever I had a cold or fresh attack

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets were highly recommended to me as a safe and and kinds your than present least to. This dism is pleasant caturrh cure and after using meastron herie, and is prepared from as easily as his catalled "Lancia Tea" or a few lifty continuous which i measured as few lifty continuous which i measured a few fifty cent boxes which I procured LANE'S FAMILY MEDICINE from my druggist I was surprised and is reserved.

Stuart's Catarrh Tableta are sold by druggists at fifty cents per package. Under the guarantee of the proprietors that they contain absolutely no cocaine that they contain absolutely no cocaine (found in so many catatra cures) no opium (so common in cheap cough cures) por any harmful drug. They contain simply the wholesome antiseptics necessary to destroy and drive from the system the germs of catarrh

REDUCED FARE

West, Northwest, South and South west Via. Pennsylvania Lines.

Home seekers' excursion tickets will be sold via. Penusylvania lines November 18th, and December 2nd done. He pointed out in a brief man- and 16th to points in the west, northwest, south and southwest. For particulars regarding the of trains, etc., apply to ticket agents of Pennsylvania 1902, the date of the first publication

> Report from the Reform School. J. G. Gluck, superintendent, Pruntytown, W. Va., writes: "After trying ail

other advertised cough medicine. have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West virginia Reform school. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless

Cleans and polishes the house from kitchen to parlor, pots to statuary, paint to mirrors.

NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

Scaled bids will be received by the city clerk of Lima, Oblo, until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, December 8th, 1902, and opened immediately there after for the purchase of \$25,000 worth of improvement bonds known and des ignated as "Special Street Improve ment Refunding Bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio," issued for the purpose of obtaining money with which to pay fortain outstanding orders and other indebtedness in said amount of the cu v of Lama. Ohio accrued as the corporation's portion of the cost of certain special improvements, which or-ders and inachtedness have heretolore by the council on determined to be existing valid and binding obligations

of said city Sant Foreis shall be in denomination of \$1,000 cach; shall be 25 in number; shall be dated October 1st 1502, and made payable as follows: \$1000 on the first day of October, 1901; \$1,000 28th day of September.

on the first day of April, 1905, and | Van Wert county on the 23rd day of on the first day of April, 1905, and \$1,000 on the first day of October and April in each and every year thereafter until all shall have been paid. Said , onds shall bear interest at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum,

payable semi-annually, with principal, as same matures, at the office of the Treasurer of said city of Lina, Ohio No bids for less than par value of said bonds will be considered; and bid- March, the 1st day of June and the ders should specify the amount bid

Bidders are required to use form of proposal furnished by the city clerk and no hid will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check on a Lima, Obio, bank and paywhom said honds are awarded refuse or neglect to accept said bonds and pay to the city of Lima, Onio, amount of his bid within twenty days after said bonds are ready for de livery, then said deposit will be re-

ages for such failure. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

By order of city council, FRED C. BEAM, City Clerk Lima, Ohio, Oct. 30th, 1902. 14-th-fri-6w

NOTICE TO BON, BUYERS.

Seried bids will be received by the ity clerk of Lima, Obio, until 12 relock noon, Monday, December 8th, 1902, and opened immediately there after, for the purchase or \$150,080 of water works bonds known and designated as "Water Works Bondh of the City of Lima, Ohio, Series D" and issued for the purpose of obtaining money with which to enlarge, extend and improve the present water works plant of the city of Lima, Ohio, as autoorized by the electors of said city

Said bords shall be in denomina tions of \$1,000 each; shall be 1s0 in 1902, and be made payable as follows: \$10,000 on the first day of October, 1912, and \$10,000 on the first day of after until all shall have been paid, once. Said bonds shall bear interest at the school teacher in one of our normal rate of three and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, with principal, as same matures, at the office of the treasurer of said city of Lima Ohio. No bid for less than par value of said bonds will be considered; and bidders should specify the amount of bonds bid for and the

premium, if any, that is offered. Bidders are required to use a form clerk; and no no will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check on a Lima, Obio, bank, and payable to the city clerk, in the sum of at least five per cent of the amount of bonds bid for. Should the bidder to whom said bonds are awarded refuse or neglect to accept said bonds and pay to the city of Lima, Ohlo, the amount of his bid when said bonds are ready for delivery, then said deposit will be retained by said city as liquidated damages for such failure The right to reject any and all bids

By order of the city council, FRED J. BEAM, City Clerk. Lima, Ohio, Nov. 6..., 1902.-th-2-5w

LEGAL NOTICE.

Charles E. Bowman, plaintiff, Georg.a M. Bowman, defendant.

Court of Common Pleas. Georgia M. Bowman, whose place of residence is unknown, late of 1232. Clark avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will take notice that, on the second day of December, A. D. 1902, in the court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, where the action is now pending, be ing cause No. 11285, the undersigned, 23-3w Charles E. Bowman, filed his petition against said Georgia M. Bowman, pray ing for divorce from her.

The said Georgia M. Bowman, is re quired to answer the petition in said action not later than six (6) weeks after the 2nd day of December, A. D 27-d&w-tt of this notice, or such divorce may be granted.

CHARLES E. BOWMAN. Klinger & Quail, attorneys for plaintiff

NOTICE TO TAKE LE OSITIONS.

State of Ohio, Allen County, ss. In the Court of Common Pleas. Case No. 11092. Prederick M. Rhode, plaintiff,

vs. Mary E. Rhode, defendant. Mary E. Rhode, whose place of resi dence is unknown, will take notice that on the ath day of December, A E 1962, the above ramed plaintiff will take the deposition of Hattle C. Limton, of Onenta, N. Y., to be used as evidence in the trial of the above cause in behalf of the plaintiff at the office of Gibbs & Willius, attorneys at law in the county of Otsego, in the state of New York, between the hour. of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. xe of said day, and that the taking of the same will be adjourned from day to day between the same hours until they are completed.
FREDERICK M. RHODE,

By R. L. ARMSTRONG. Attorney for Plainciff,

TIMES OF HOLDING COMMON PLEAS COURT, A. D. 1903. State of Ohio Third Judicial District.

It is ordered that the learns of Common Pleas Court of the reveral countries in said Third Judicia! Dis trict for the year 1903 be fixed as 101 lows, to with in

Shelby county on the 23rd day of bebruary, the 18th day of May and the 18th day of November. Auglaire county on the 19th day of January, the 6th day of Apri and the

28th day of September.
Aften county on the 19th day of January, the 21th day of April and the with day of October Morcer county on the 19th day of

January, the 6th day of Abril and the Pobruary, the 18th day of May and

the 16th day of November. Putnam county on the 12th day of strument, carpets, January, the 7th day of April and the

list day of September. Paulding county on the 12th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 114th stay of September. Defiance county on the 9th day of

19th day of November. Henry county on the 9th day of for and the premium, if any, that is

March, the 1st day of June and inc 2.1rd day of November. Fulton county on the 9th day of February, the 4th day of May and the

20th day of October. Williams county on the 18th day of under Sec. 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:
Cebruary, the 5th day of May and the 13 chairs, 2 stools 1 parior stove, 1 able to the city clerk in the sum of February, the 5th day of May and the at least five per cent of the amount 13th day of October.

> A. M. Lima, O., Oct. 21, 1902. We re-elect Hon, S. A. Armstrong judge of said district for 1963.

M. DONNELLY, S. A. ARMSTRONG, HUGH T. MATHERS, WM. H. CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM H. HUBBARD.

Certificate of Copy. The State of Ohlo, Allen County, ss.
1, M. J. Sullivan, clerk of the court of common pleas within and for the atoresaid county and state do hereby certify that the foregoing

is a true and correct copy of the original times for holding common pleas court new on file in said clerk's office, in the cause. in testimony whereof, I have here

unto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, at Lima, Ohio this 11th day of November A. D M. J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.

By E. G MACKENZIE, Deputy NO ICE.

The undersigned has been appointed at a general election held April 7th, and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of John F Beidelschies. All persons knowing number; shall be dated October 1st, themselves to be indebted to said as signor will please settle with under signed and all persons holding claim October in each and every year there- against assignor will file the same a

> H. P. WILLIAMSON. Ridenour & Halfhul, Attys.

> > NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Louis Quong, deceased The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Louis Quong, late of Alies county. Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of November E. S. BOPE. Richie, Leland & Roby, Attys. 3 %

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

mediate payment, and creditors will and other household furniture present their claims, duly authenticate 27-tt Thesenrer, Alles County, O.

27-3 w ks.

ed, to the undersigned for allowance WALTER J. RICHIE, Assigned Lima, Ohio, November 14th, 1902.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Taylor Conins, deceased The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Taylor Conine, late of Alien county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 10th day of November A. D. 1902.

R. F. HICKEY, Administrator.

P. O. Address, Gilboa, O.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT. Estate of Keziah McGinnis, de-

eased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Keziah McGinnis, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 8th day of November

A. D., 1902.

BELLE McCARTY. Richie, Leiand & Roby, Attys.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mrs. Fanny Burns, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Fanny Burns, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of November A D 1902.

WALTER WATT. 39-3w

TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 300% east Wayne street, Lima O., on Tuesday, December 9th, 1902,

at 1 o'clock p m., the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes, state of Ohio, and described as fol-under Sec. 4264-12 K. S. of Ohio: lows, to-wit. 4 tables, I extension table, I side

3 stoves, 12 beds and bedding, 12 stands, 12 commodes, 8 mirrors, 1 folding bed, 5 dressers, 10 step ladders, carpets, cuitains, dishes and 31. other articles too numerous to metion. JAS W. GENSEL, Treasurer. Allen County, Ohio.

Th. SURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 397 east North street, Lima, Ohio, at 9 o'clock Tuesday. December 9th, 1902.

the following goods and chattels level on by me for taxes, under Sec 4364-12 R S of Ohm. 2's stees, 28 chairs, 1 stove and pipe I clock, I sewing machine 2 large nur iois, 1 gas stove, 2 stance. poards, I slot machine, I side board, water tank, rubber hose, I me che-t. ! chiffonler, 1 secretary, 5 beds and bed ding, 5 commodes 2 "evolvers, 1 carpet sweeper, I Tonog lass musical in-

lamps, bed clotning, and other articles too numerous to mention. JAS. W. GENSED. reasurer,

Allen County, Ohio. TREASURER'S SALE.

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I will offer at public sale at 307

Pennsylvania avenue, Lima Ohio, on Wednesday, December 10th, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following goods five hundred and thirty as as 5579;

stand, I jardenier, 2 tables, 1 cook 31. stove 1 refrigerator, 1 curboard and dishes, 1 bird cage, 2 beds and bedding, \$200.00 wardrobe, 2 commodes, carpeis, lace curtains, pictures and other household \$167.00. furniture too numerous to mention.

38-tt Allen County, Ohio.

TREASURER'S SALE. I will offer at public sale in the build. ing located on inlot No. 603, and opposite P Ft. W. & C. depot, in Lima

J b. W. GENSEL, Treasurer,

Wednesday, December 10th, 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes under Sec. 4264-12 R. S. of Ohio: I ber fixture, I beer pump, I ice box, cash register. I secretary. 9 chairs

water tank, 1 slot machine, 2 stoves and pipe, 1 hall tree, 1 sofa, 2 brass cuspidors, 1 Whitney piano, 1 stand, 1 ewing machine, 2 tables, 1 side board. folding heds, 4 beds and bedding, 2 iressers, 3 commodes, 1 mirror, car pets, curtains, pictures and other artides too numerous to mention.

JAS, W. GENSEL. Treasurer. Allen County, Ohio.

TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 207 east

North street, Lima, Ohio, on Monday, December. 8th, 1902, at 1 o'cloc., p. m., the following goods and chattels levied on by me for i taxes under section 4364-12 R. S. of

Nineteen chairs, o parlor stoves, range, 1 ice box, 5 dressers, 5 beds and bedding, I folding bed, 2 ward robes, 6 commodes, 1 lounge, 5 lamps l gasoline stove, carpets, dishes, cur tains and other household furniture. JAS. W. GENSEL.

TREASURER'S SALE!

Ohio. I will offer at public sale at 315 north Central avenue, Lima, Ohio, ou Monday, December 8th, 1902,

Theasurer, Allen County, O

of 9 o'clock a.m., the following goods and chattels levied on by no for taxes under section 4364 12 R. S. of The undersigned has been duly no- Onto: Two music boxes, 22 chairs,

pointed and qualified as assignce in stoves, 1 sewing machine, 4 stands trust for the benefit of the creditors 2 tables 1 pair opers glasses, 5 beds of Katherine Cahill. All persons in and bedding, 3 dressers, 4 commodes, debted to said assignor will make im- 2 settees, lindleum, carpets, curtains JAS. W. GRNSM.

SHERIFF'S SALE (Case No. 11112.) Edward B Smith, et al., Plaintiff.

W. E. Brown, Defan lant. Allen Common Pleas. By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county,

Saturday, the 27th Day of December, A. D., 1902,

Retween the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as fol

Lot number five thousand five heardred and forty-nine (5549) in Mapkewood Place addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, as the same is numbered in the recorded plat of said addition in Vol. 5, page 31, of the Plat Records of Allen county, Ohio. Appraised at \$159.00.

Terms: Cash. E. J. BARR, Sheriff. Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1902. Cable & Parmenter, Plaintiff's At-

SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No 11122) Edward B. Smuth, et. ai . Plaintiff.

J. J. Rockford, et. al. Defendant. Allen County, Ohio. Allen Common Pleas.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed will offer for sale at the east coor of me court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, the 27th Day of December, A. D., 1902, Between the hours of one o'cleck and four o'clock p m., the tollowing described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county,

Lot number five thousand five hunboard, 2 ice chests, 1 range, 40 chairs, dred and fifty-four (5554) in Maple wood Place addition to the city of Lima. Ohio, as recorded on Plat Records of Allen county, in Vol. 5, page

> Appraised at \$145.00 Terms Cast., D. J. BARR, Sheriff.

Lima, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1902. Cable & Parmener, Plaintiff's At-104 (28

Alien County, Ohio.

(Case No. 11113.) Edward B Smith, et al., Plaintiff

SHERIFF'S SALE.

John R Harmar, Defendant Allen Common Pleas By vartue of an order of same issued from the Court of Courses Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed will offer for sale at the cast door of the court house in Lima, Alien county,

A. D., 1902, Between the hours of one o'clock and two o clock, p. m., the following described lands and tenements. Liuate in the City of Lima, Allen county,

state of Ohio, and described as folows, to-wit: Lot number five thousand five hunwood Place audition to the city of and chattels levied on by me for taxes, in Maple wood Place addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, as

recorded in Plat Records, Vol. 5, page No. (5535)-Appraised

Total appraisement \$367.00. Terms: Cash E. J. BARR, Sheriff,

tornays. Zo . wks.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

M. Brooker et. al., Defendant. Allen Common Pleas. By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed

Saturday, the 27th Day of December, A. D., 1902, Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following des cribed lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima. Allen county.

lows, fo-wit: Lot five thousand, five numbered and fifty-three (5553) in Maplewood Place from to the city of Jama, Oline as the same is numbered in the Plat Rec-

ords. Vol. 5, page 31, of Allen county.

Terms: Cash. E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio. Lima, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1902.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Before Wm. E. Reilly, Justice of the Peace, Ottawa township, Ailea County

> P. J. Halleran, J. J. Conway

On the 27th day of October, A. D.

action for the sum of Twenty Pollars. (\$20 (0) and the said attachment will be for hearing upon the 15th, day of December 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Platetic.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Saturday, the 27th Day of December,

dred and thirty-five (5535) im Maple-Lima, and lot number five thousand.

Inlot Info: No (3539)-Appraised

Allen County, Chio. Lina, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1902. Cable & Parmenter, Plainti**g's** At-

(Case No. 11114.) Edward B Smith, et. al., Plaintiff.

I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

state of Ohio, and described as fol-

Appraised \$145.00

Cable & Parmenter, Plaintid's Al-25 5% hs. fornevs.

1902 said Justice of the Peace issued an order of attachment in the above

OIL MARKET GOES UP THREE CENTS.

South Lima and Indiana Crude Jump Over the Dollar Mark.

They didn't expect it so many days New Castle oil is advance of December 25, but, as the North Lima oil members of the oil producing fraternity received their Christmas present from the Standard Oll Company this National Transit Co.-

South Lima and Indiana crude oil is now worth \$1.01 per barrel, the long S. W. Penna Pipe Lines .-hoped-for dollar mark for this production having been reached and passed at a single jump. The advance | Eureka P. L. Co .authorized by purchasing agent Joseph Seep, gave an increase of three cents per barrel on the production of all the B. P. L. Co.-Macksburg oil.fields, placing north Lima oil at \$1.06 per barrel, south Lima and Indiana crude at \$1.01 and the Pennsylvania production at \$1.45.

The advantage of the several recent advances in the price of crude oil to Indiana P. L. Co .-Socal trade cannot be over-estimated. Runs The benefits will be far-reaching and will be felt more or less, in all N. Y. Transit Co .-branches of business

The market quotations are now as Southern P.f. L. Co--Tions oil 1. 1.45 Pennsylvania on

PARALYSIS

PROGRESS

May Yet be Overcome by the Is Noted in the Building of so frail that the state had little Rev. Father Hannin. the Extension.

part the paralysis which holds him in its thrall .-- Toledo Bee

BOYS' AND GIRLS' HOLIDAY HOUSE STYLES AT 29 CENTS. THIS WEEK ONLY AT MICHAEL'S.

EX-SHERIFF

Bogart Reported as Recover- February - Sidney News. ing Rapidly.

It will be good news to the many friends of ex-sheriff Bogart, of Columbus Graye, to learn that he is recover ing nicely from the accident which bappened to him a week 230. Serious internal informes were feared as the result of his fall nem a stepladder but although still suffering considerable there is no longer any danger for a fatal termination.

The Ladles Aid Society of Pirst Bap-Mrs. James Lewis, 743 south Main A **200**d attendance is desired.

unexpected frequently happens, the South Lima oil 1.01 Indiana oil Runs and Shimpents. Runs 16,861.93 Shipments 13,362.86 Runs Shipments. 1,890.25 Runs 37,743.29 Shipments 2,171.40 Runs 12,956.08 Shipments. B. P. L. Co.-Lima oil.-Runs 34,174.60 Shipments ... 41.399.33 Shipments 35,894.56 Shipments. \$1.60 Crescent P. L. Co .-Shioments. . . 90 Cumberland P. L. Co .--...... 1.28 Runs

Father Hannin's condition seems to | Since the work on the Western Ohio be about the same today as it has been railway reached the corner of Court during the past week. The continued street and Main avenue, rapid proimprovement, although very slow, and gress has been made. If the weather scarcely noticeable, is the occasion of continues favorable, the northern limit great liope, and it may be that the pa- of the city will soon be reached. The tient will in time overcome in a great track is being put down between Botkins and Anna and the heavy work of grading required between Sidney and Swanders, is moving forward at a very satisfactory rate. The Ashton Bros. ondenmatien case near Piqua was dis posed of last week in the Miami coun-

> tween Pigna and Sidney by the first of RALSTON HEALTH SHOES FOR MEN ARE WATER-PROOF. MICH- stiffer sentence.

ty court and there is new no further

obstanction between Sidney and Piqua.

Unless the veather is more unfavor-

able than usual, cars will be run be-

BURNING

Out of a Flue Occasions an kinds of imaginary monsters in the Alarm from Box 18.

called out at 11:30 o'clock today by an bottle the relaps brought on a genalarm from box 13, at West and Mur- uine case of delerum tremens. He is fist church, will meet at the home of phy streets. The alarm was occasion not in a serious condition and will ed by the burning out of a flue at a soon be straightened out. street. Friday afternoon at 2:39 o'clock dwelling house on Murphy street. No liamage was done.

Didn't Help Callahan Out

And the Court

Gave Him a Double Dose for Perjury.

Two Prisoners Disposed of During Session of Common Pleas Today.

Red Donahue Pleaded Guilty and Will Spend Several Months Working Out a Fine and Costs at Toledo.

The last two prisoners who have been walting for several months to learn their fate were disposed of this morning. Daniel Callahan, who was found guilty, of stealing a watch from F. L. Meiser, was not dealt with as gently as is the general custom of Judge Cunningham, when a "first termer" appears as the defendant in a small offense, but there was a reason behind it.

Callahan had framed up a nice little story in the hope of shielding blmself at the expense of another, but it was trouble in tearing it to pieces. Having perjured himself in an attempt to mislead the court and jury. Callahan aggravated his original offense and came the penitentiary for two years, while he may have gotten half the time un der other circumstances

A Change of Base.

Red Douahue, who has persistently refused to plead guilty to the theft of the woel stolen from Joseph Bird at West Cairo, accepted the opportun ity of taking on to himself an offense a few doors removed from burglary and larceny with which he was charged in the indictment. He was brought into court for trial this morning, but later pleaded guilty to petty larceny, and was sentenced to the work house for 30 days in addition to \$25 and the costs of prosecution. Donahue has een in jall a matter of six months, or he would no doubt have received a

Don't Like His Companions. Harry G. Gardner, who was sent over from Harrod by Squire Leather can to spend 10 days in jail for beat ing his wife, has developed a lovely case of crocodiles, and is fighting all close confinement of his cell. Gardner had been drinking heavily at the time re abused his wife and as he was ni

Pension Day. The corridors at the court house

Weather-Colder.

Thursday, December 4.

E are coming near to Christmas-time—three weeks from today that great day will be here. When it does come, and even long in advance you will see here a wonderful Holiday Store, a palace of enchantment, filled with things that delight childhood days and perpetuate the traditions of a Christian people. Saturday next will occur our great Holiday Opening, and on that day we will satisfy the wants of thousands of Holiday shoppers. But before we can attempt to show our big line of Holiday goods

we must have more room - we are crowded with regular merchandise-but we intend to clear up lots of it today and tomorrow and to this end we will offer many bargain gems.

Today and Tomorrow.

Imperative Need of Room Nerves Our Hand to Prodigious Price-Cutting.

Embroidery Special.

Embroidery, Very Desirable Patterns; Regular

Value 100; Special Price For This Sale 56 A Yard.

Special Lot Of Wide And Narrow Hamburg

Underwear Special.

Cold Facts About Warm Clothes At Red Het Prices. This Underwear Must Go Doring This Make Room For Holiday Stock And These Prices Three Days Holiday Clearing Sale

Small lot men's natural gray Undershirts (no drawers) that are soiled, yes quite badly soiled, but they're warm and will wash, regular price was 25c and 50c, this Clearing Sale price is

Children's Eera and natural gray ribbed union suits, small

and medium size regular price 25c, for this Clearing Sale at Lie each.

Special lot ladies all wool Scarlet Vests and Pants splendid quality, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, for this 3 days Clearance Sale at 750 each.

Boys' heavy natural gray ribbed union Suits equal to many offered at \$1.00, this Holiday Clearing Sales', price 50c each.

Children's heavy fleece lined vests and pants, very warm, ex cellent quality, special at 25c and 35c each.

Boys' heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, worth 80e at 25e each

Dress Goods Special.

This Department Must Be Condensed To Will Dispose Of Large Quantities.

56 inch heavy wool crash sultings, three excellent colors, regular price \$1.00, for this Clearing Sale at 69c the yard.

54 inch all wool covert saitings, regular price 75c, Holiday Clearing Sale price, 59c the yard.

27 inch heavy all wool skirting, desirable dark colors, regular

price 50c at 35c the yard.

Handsome imported all wool challie, all good styles, regular price 50c, for this Holiday Clearing Sale at 2.c the yard

Very stylish Saitings Hair Mixtures and twins melange in new and de-

strable colorings, regular value \$1.50, marked for this 3 days Holiday Clearing Sale at 980 the yard.

Special lot fine wood Dress Goods consisting of Granite, Serge, Mohair, Cashmere, Shark-Skin all in a variety of choice colorings, regular value \$1 00 and \$1.25, for this Holoday Clearing Sale at 7'c the vard

White Goods Special

New 1st of fine White Mercerized Damask for waists, very choice 39c and 50c the yard.

Percale Special.

Special fot yard wide fine Per- 50 pelces fine 35 inch Eclispe One lot of fine Scotch Plaid Gingcales, not the choicest patterns Flannelettes, all excellent pat- hams, dark colors, regular value ever shown but excellent quality, terns, never sold for less than 15c. styles and exceptional values at regular trice 12 2c, for this holl- marked for this Hollday Clearing 12 1-2c, for this three days Hollday day Clearing Sale, 7c the yard: Sale at 9% the yard.

Flannelette Special. Gingham Special.

Clearing Sale at 7 1-2c the ward

Glove Special.

The Echo of Economy Rings Through at All Departments and is a Warring of Economy and Heipful The Bert Biankets in the Wide World Saving to All Who Hear It --- Substantial Savings Are Gathered Here for Your Benefit and Offered in the Glove Department.

Fine Glace Kid Gloves, all shades of brown, tan, mede and slate, regular value \$1.00, sale price 5% the pair.

Extra quality ladies' silk lined Gloves, colors and black, worth \$1.25, at 19c the pair.

Special lot ladies' and children's wool Golf Gloves, blue, black and brown, regular price 25c, at 10c the pair, 100 dozen ladies' fine wool Golf Gloves, plain and fancy col-

ors, special value at 50c the pair. Children's fancy and plain color Golf Gloves, regular value

25c, sale price 15c the pair.

Blanket Special.

Sauggest, Healthiest Blankets - Prices Most now at Rediculously Low Prices.

Extra heavy 11-4 Cotton Blankets, white or gray, \$1.00 the

Extra large size fancy Mottled Blankets, brown or blue worth \$1,50, sale at 980 the mair.

One lot handsome Wool Robe Blanke's, very choice colors and patterns, large size, excellent for bath or lounging robe, regular price \$8 00, sale price \$1.50 each.

White Cotton Blankets for single beds, excellent value at He the pair,

10 4 white and gray Cotton Blankets, at 50c the pair.

233-235 NORTH MAIN STREET.

have been filled with the old veterans or their widows from early this morning and the deputies have given their entire attention to the signing of A Kick Against Fraternal In- of insurance are assessed larger Return Home from Wisin the cierk's office and but little bust ness transacted by the Probate Judge or his assistants.

Real Estate Transfers. Hiram Waltz to N. W. Cunningham, inlots 282 and 283, A. G. Kibler's first addition to Bluffton, \$500.

Wm. C. Webb to Jasper N. Purdy, 40 eres in Amanda township, \$2600.

PATIENT

Sufferer Finds Relief in Death.

Levi Rouscoulp, of Perry township, sons. One of the latter is a member tice of another assengment. of the regular army and is now at San

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surance Co.

and Want the Receiver Removed.

its birth in Delphos, is becoming a thing the once policy holders will be highly pleased to hear of when the closing of the pages of the receivership has been made, says the Delphos Herall. The several sieges of court proecdure has developed that the members (?) who have anything in this malast night from the effects of a stroke Socialism.) Divide with ye brothron the only relief that he could hope for. 18th, receiver Baughman sent to a as predicted. The deceased leaves a wife and two long list of persons in Delphos, a no-

people. He has no two amounts alike, once is expected,

In comparing the notices it is evident there was no regular rate used and it seems, persons having small amounts amounts than persons holding policies fo larger denominations.

A number of persons interested assenabled to the Mayor's Court room Delphos People Engage Counsel Tuesday evening and it was decided Fraternal Fire Insurance, which had

> NEW FADS IN JUVENILE SUITS AT MICHAELS'.

> > SPORTS.

Springfield will play the Compion terial world must pay up for those who Iron company basket ball team at one of the pioneers of the county, died have not. (This is an experience in Kenton tomorrow evening, and some idea of the strength of the latter agof paralysis which he received more The Fraternal was a good thing (2) gregation can be gathered from the than two years ago. Since then he has and it has been learned by experience score. Kenton is confident of being has been practically helpless and an that it has been a mighty tough thing able to take Springfield's measure, but other stroke following brought about to get disconnected from. November the proposition may not be as simple

The Auroras club will give another The system he has for arriving at of their dances this evening at Music Francisco, and the other son makes the amount of massessments has been Hall. Music by Oscar Frey's orcheshis home on the farm where his father questioned by a number of Delphos tra. A good time and large attend. 5 AND 10 CENT STORE, SATURDAY,

HUNTERS

consin Wilds.

The party of Marion township and to employ an attorney to ascertain in Elida hunters, consisting of Willis Mcwhat way to proceed for the removal Bride, Curtis Leist, Leroy Leist, Henry of the receiver and also endeavor to Gallaspie, Frank Neely, W. C. Baxter, hove the business closed as they were Isaac Burkholder, David Ditto, John becoming slek and tired of such an un- Thompson, Ted Foust, Wm. Ditto, Sonater S. D. Crites and Chas. Sawmiller, arrived home yesterday, from a four weeks' hunt in Wisconsin. The gentlemen chartered a car and were joined at Van Wert and Convoy by other partles.

> The weather, during their first two weeks stay in the wilds of Wisconsin. was rather disagreeable, but the last two weeks was favorable, but was too cold to make hunting a pleasure. The entire party succeeded in killing thirty one deer, nineteen of which were secured by the Marion township and Elida parties. The gentlemen are all feeling splendid over their trip .--Delphos Heraid.

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The north side fire department was where he couldn't get at the coveted

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Nather a strong word with which to describe our Suits and Overcoats, but nothing more mild will cover the territory or do our new Winter Clothing justice. It doesn't matter what shape or size, or kind of a man you are, if you're a Suit or Overcoat seeker you'll find what you're looking for here.

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Christmas is not far away and everybody is thinking of what to give-to whom-and how best to do it—and it is by answering such questions aptly and satisfactorily that makes this such a popular store. It is wise to buy early and not deter buying until just before the day. Call and see our fine line of Holiday Goods and it will make the task easy for you. Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, Mutters, Gloves, Hosiery, Umbrellas, Neckwear, Suspenders, Etc., Etc.

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